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BIRTHS.

BENNETT—January 23, 1941, to Dorothy (*née* Baylis), wife of John Bennett, Rathellin, Bangenalstown, Co. Carlow, a daughter.

DUFFY—January 30, 1941, to Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Duffy, Belvedere House, Athlone, a daughter (Denise Thérèse).

GREER—February 7, 1941, at the Leinster Nursing Home, to Ida, wife of Richard Greer, Kilmore, Foster avenue, Dundrum, a son.

McCULLOUGH—February 9, 1941, at the Cottage Hospital, Drogheda, to Nesta (*née* Coulter), wife of Norman J. McCullough, 1 Marsh road, Drogheda, a daughter.

MURDOCK—January 21, 1941, to Gertrude, wife of George R. Murdock, Archer's avenue, Kilkenny, a son.

O'SHEA—February 3, 1941, at Leinster Nursing Home, to Betty, wife of Thomas E. O'Shea, Clonminch, Tullamore, a son (John Michael Joseph).

PRICE—February 6, 1941, at the Harcourt Nursing Home, to Helen, wife of H. Gibson Price, 191 Strand road, Merrion, twins (girl and boy).

MARRIAGES.

BISHOP and BORLAND—January 18, 1941, at the Clontarf Methodist Church, by the Rev. H. M. Watson, M.A.; John Henry, elder son of the late Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Bishop, of Newcastle-on-Tyne, to Mabel, youngest daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. David Borland, 81 Clontarf road, Dublin.

COLIN and WEIR—January 22, 1941, at St. Matthew's Church, Irishtown, Dublin, by the Rev. R. Bird, D.S.O., assisted by the Rev. Canon A. A. Luce, M.C., and the Rev. V. J. Walker, B.A.; the Rev. Gerald Fitzmaurice Colin, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Colin, 66 Grosvenor square, Rathmines, to Iris Susan Stuart, daughter of the Rev. R. E. Weir and the late Mrs. Weir, St. Matthew's Rectory, Irishtown.

GLAZIER and RICHARDSON—February 10, 1941, at St. George's Parish Church, Temple street, Dublin, by the Rev. K. D. B. Dobbs; James Sparling Glazier, son of Mr. Thomas Glazier and the late Mrs. Glazier, 1 North Dock street, North Wall, Dublin, to Violet Eleanor, second daughter of Mr. Robert Richardson and the late Mrs. Richardson, 4 Muckross Parade, Derrynane Parade, North Circular road, Dublin.

LEE and ROBINSON—On Wednesday, February 5, 1941, at Monkstown Parish Church, by the Rev. H. G. Forde, assisted by the Rev. T. H. Kennedy, William Henry Robert, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. William R. Lee, Hilton, Monkstown, to Eva Chevril Robinson, 34 Monkstown road, only child of the late Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Robinson, Northern Ireland.

RAINSBURY and LYONS—February 4, 1941, at Holy Trinity Church, Portrush, by Rev. Cecil Williams, M.A. (brother-in-law of bridegroom), assisted by Rev. Handley Vaughan, M.A. (Rector); Rev. Albert Wolfe Rainsbury, M.A., C.F., elder son of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Rainsbury, "Ringles," Sunday's Well, Cork, to Evangeline Jane, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Lyons, "Miramar," Antrim road, Belfast.

DEATHS.

BOLTON—February 14, 1941, at Colchester, Essex, Emily, beloved wife of Revd. Dr. Henry Edward Bolton.
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DEATHS.

BRYAN—February 14, 1941, F. Ellis Bryan, Priestown, Drangan. Funeral at Kilvemnon Church to-morrow (Sunday), February 16, at 3 o'clock (S.T.).

CLANMORRIS—February 14, 1941, at Bangor Castle, Maude Lady Clanmorris. Funeral private.

GRIFFIN—February 13, 1941, at a Dublin hospital, Thomas Samuel, of 10 Coulson avenue, Rathgar, second son of the late Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Griffin, of Highfield road, Rathgar, beloved husband of Eva Griffin. Funeral this (Saturday) morning, arriving Mount Jerome, 9.30.

HARRISON—February 13, 1941, at Ardee terrace, Sligo, Elizabeth, wife of George H. Harrison, late of Toneymore, Cavan. Funeral arriving at Kilmore Cathedral, 1 o'clock, to-day (Saturday).

HARRISON—February 14, 1941, at Baggot Street Hospital, Willis Harrison, eldest son of May and Willie Harrison, Ardee terrace, Sligo. Funeral, 3 o'clock, from St. John's Church, Sligo, to-morrow (Sunday), 16th February. No flowers.

LANCASTER—February 14, 1941, at Stepaside, Meath road, Bray, after a short illness, Mary Margaret, darling daughter of James and Vera Lancaster, aged 22 years. Funeral on Monday at 10 o'clock to Enniskerry. "The Lord is my Shepherd."

McKAY—February 13, 1941, at Monkstown Hospital, Thomas, dearly-loved husband of Elizabeth McKay, 2 Tempé terrace, Dalkey, late of Clarinda Park, Dun Laoghaire. Funeral (private) to-day (Saturday), leaving hospital 11.15.

NAGLE—February 14, 1941, Edmund Nagle, of 363 Clontarf road. Funeral private.

O'CONNOR—February 13, 1941, at The Convent, Stafford, Louisa Agnes, widow of Patrick Joseph O'Connor, and daughter of the late George F. Mulvany, aged 84.

OGILVY—February 13, 1941, John Frederick Ogilvy, Barrister-at-Law. Funeral strictly private. No flowers.

PRICE—February 13, 1941, at St. Margaret's, Heatherley road, Camberley, Margaret Emily, dearly-loved wife of the late Lieutenant-Colonel Ivon H. Price, D.S.O., Assistant Inspector-General, Royal Irish Constabulary.

SUTHERLAND—February 13, 1941, at his residence, Haughhead, Campsie Glen, Scotland, Peter James Sutherland, in his 83rd year, beloved father of Alex. Sutherland, 21 Dartmouth square, Dublin. Deeply regretted by his family and a large circle of friends.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for this Column will be found on Page 6.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

Mrs. Teresa O'Connor, Rev. Brother Patrick, O.S.B., **Betty** and **Nancy,** 16 Lower Kimmage road, wish to thank the many kind friends who have sympathised with them in their recent great sorrow, also those who have sent Mass cards, telegrams and letters of sympathy, and trust all will accept this in grateful acknowledgment.

The Misses Newman, 76 Howth road and Killester, wish to return sincere thanks to the many kind friends who have sent messages of sympathy on the recent tragic death of their brother-in-law.

ROCKER (Clonmel) — The widow and daughters of the late F. Rocker wish to return their sincere thanks to all those who sent telegrams, letters of sympathy and floral tributes; also to the many sympathisers who made personal calls, and those who attended the funeral.

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DUNCAN—In ever-loving memory of my darling Freddie, entered Rest, February 15th, 1937.
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Which we have loved long since and lost awhile."
—Madge.

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IN MEMORIAM.

DUNCAN—In loving memory of darling Daddy, died four years ago to-day.
"With Christ, which is far better."
—Enid and Beryl.

DUNCAN—In precious memory of my darling daddy, Frederick William Austin, entered Rest on February 15th, 1937.
"E'en as he trod that day to God,
So walked he from his birth,
In nobleness and gentleness,
In honour and clean mirth."
—Phyllis.

JOYCE—Eleventh Anniversary—In loving memory of Harriett St. George Joyce, who died, 16th February, 1930. R.I.P.

NEALE—In loving memory of my son, Dr. Norman Neale, passed away, February 16th, 1919.
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NEVITTE—In loving memory of dear Dad, who passed away, 15th February, 1940.—Robert and Marie.

ROBINSON—In loving memory of my darling mother, Rhoda Hanna Robinson, called Home, 16th February, 1927.—Louie.
"Safe in the Arms of Jesus."

STEPHENS—First Anniversary—In sad and loving memory of our dear father, Frederick C. Stephens, who departed this life, 15th February, 1940, at his residence, 27 Priory road, Kimmage.
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In the mansion of the blest.
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WANTED 4th March, well recommended COOK GENERAL; must be good cook, understand dairy and have bicycle. Apply, with references, age and wages, Mrs. Tuthill, Owenstown, Maynooth. 13 A

WANTED, experienced SINGLEHANDED COOK; Meath; small dairy; Esse cooker; copies, state wages, particulars. Address "Z 289, Cook," this office.

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WANTED, young, experienced GENERAL for Dungarvan; Protestant; good wages. Address "Z 240, General," this office. 13 F

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WANTED, good GENERAL MAID, help for farmer's residence; convenient Lisburn and Belfast.—Box No. 230, Irish Times Branch Office, Belfast. 14 B

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EXPERIENCED young NURSE REQUIRED, Dublin, end of March one child 19 months, infant later; do own nurseri... knitter; state salary and full particulars.—T 741, this office.

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LADY (38), refined, cheerful domesticated; help in any capacity in house; excellent reference; 5/- week, home chief object. Address "Z 275, Help," this office.

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KIMMAGE road, West—Semi-detached, 2 reception, 4 bedrooms, good gardens, fine views; 'bus passes; immediate possession; £1,150. Apply Goff's, 60 Lower Mount street. 13 B

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DRAWINGROOM Flat, Herbert street, newly decorated, 3 rooms, kitchenette, bathroom. 'Phone 62951

EXCELLENT Flat to Let, bathroom, kitchen, two bedrooms, reception. Apply Mooney, Boley, Monkstown. 'Phone 81526 13 A

EXCEPTIONAL, self-contained Flat at Herbert Lodge, John's road, Sydney Parade. Seen 4 to 6. Rent, £96 14 A

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FURNISHED, self contained Flat, constant hot water, e.l. free; garage.—Eglinton, Newgrove avenue, Sandymount 13 A

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FURNISHED Rooms, serv... two or three people, country house, good conveniences. Address 291. Room... this office. 14 B

FLATS, self-contained Unfurnished, Ballsbridge, Pembroke, Rathgar; £55-£72.—Maguire, Estate Agent, 45 Molesworth street.

FITZWILLIAM square—Magnificent, newly decorated Flat to Let. Apply Housekeeper, 68 Fitzwilliam square, Dublin. 14 A

GOOD Bed Sittingroom, one or two gentlemen; board.—69 Lower Leeson street. 12 F

GROUND Floor Flat, Molesworth street; rent £100 and taxes. Apply O'Neill, 21 Molesworth street. 12 A

GUESTS received in comfortable house, 25 miles Dublin, 'bus route; conveniences; £2 weekly; delicate people catered for. Address "Z 230, Guests," this office. 12 F

GUESTS taken at first class seaside, private place; £2 15/- weekly; Co. Cork. Address "Z 188, Guests," this office. 7 12

KILBARNE House, Co. Cork, is the Historic Irish Mansion featured in the "Weekly Irish Times" to-day. 11 F

LARGE, self contained Flat.—7 Merrion square. 13 A

LADY offers very select Accommodation in her private house, situated in beautiful surroundings; bath, e.l.; excellent catering; terms £2. Address "Z 280, Accommodation," this office.

LOVELY, 2-3 roomed Unfurnished Drawingroom Flat, newly decorated; adults. Also Furnished Bed-Sittingroom, Kitchenette.—186 Upper Rathmines rd. 11 B

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MERRION square—Hall return Flat, with garden; entirely self-contained, 2 rooms, etc.; £60.—Archer, 12 Lr. Fitzwilliam street. 13 A

MODERN, Furnished Garden Flat, with own entrance and part garden, two roomed, with kitchenette, bathroom; Rathgar.—T 737, this office.

MERRION square—Magnificent Residential Flat, superbly appointed; no other tenants. Apply Adam, Merrion Row. 14 C

NORTHUMBERLAND road—Hall Flat, Unfurnished; £6 month, to Let.—T 665, this office.

NOS 5 and 24 Longford Terrace, Monkstown—Flats to Let, recently decorated, separate bathrooms, etc.; rent moderate; garage accommodation if required. Apply Major J. C. Boyle, Abbey street, Armagh. 9 X

PAYING Guests taken country house, North Co. Dublin; good 'bus route, private bathroom suite and sittingroom; adults, 4 guineas, children 2 guineas weekly; references essential.—T 715, this office.

PROFESSIONAL or business man dining in city can have excellent home accommodation in South suburbs.—T 765, this office. 14 B

SELF-CONTAINED Flat in centre of Dun Laoghaire available for letting. Suitable for offices or residence; moderate rent to suitable tenant. Address "Z 249, Flat," this office. 13 F

SANDYCOVE—Exceptionally well appointed, Unfurnished Flat, £60. Also 2 roomed Basement, 10/- weekly. Apply Universal Bureau, Dun Laoghaire.

STEPHEN'S Green—Bed Sittingroom; board optional.—T 759, this office.

SUPERIOR, convenient Flat, Ballsbridge, private house, quiet road, close railway station and 2d. 'bus; 3 large rooms, maid's room, kitchen, bathroom; unfurnished or partly, adults. Address "Z 225, Flat," this office. 12 X

TO Let, Flat, Dorset street, self contained; three large rooms, bathroom, kitchen; 22/- per week.—T 649, this office. 13 F

TO Let, 2 Rooms in large house, use of bathroom and kitchen; Co. Meath, 10 miles from Dublin, convenient to bus. Address "Z 259, Rooms," this office. 13 F

THREE Flats, Unfurnished; 4 rooms, kitchenettes, baths, garden, electricity, gas, garage; 32/6.—No. 1 Vesey place, Dun Laoghaire. 14 A

APARTMENTS AND FLATS TO LET, CONTD.

TO Let, portion country Residence (top), seven rooms, kitchen, bath, electricity; partly furnished; £65 yearly.—At Fairfield, Coolock, Dublin (Mrs. Hayes).

UNFURNISHED Flat, three rooms, kitchen, bathroom; top floor.—14 Adelaide road. 13 F

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UNFURNISHED Hall Flat, two rooms, kitchenette, bath, etc.—11 Waterloo road.

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15 UPPER Leeson street—Well Furnished Flat, every convenience. 'Phone 61335. 13 F

24 LOWER Leeson street—Unfurnished, self contained Drawingroom Flat; 3 rooms, kitchenette, bathroom, garage. 11 X

33 UPPER Baggot street—Hall Flat, newly decorated; constant hot water; suit doctor. 13 A

£48 A year, Bedroom and Sittingroom, in small private house, or £36 Bed-Sittingroom, with use of bathroom, kitchen, etc.; 20 minutes from Dublin, 3 minutes from 46 'bus stop. Address "Z 294, Apartments," this office. 14 A

APARTMENTS AND FLATS WANTED.

ACCOMMODATION required for lady, small son and maid, with private family or small private hotel, within 30 miles Dublin. Would consider taking small Furnished House; must have indoor sanitation. Write, stating details, T 612, this office. 13 A

BOARD Residence Wanted, as Paying Guests, for four adults (Protestants) within about thirty miles of Dublin; convenient to train preferred; fullest particulars. Address "Z 216, Board," this office. 12 F

BOARD Residence, or otherwise, for semi-invalid lady (arthritis), not troublesome; would want a little personal attention; Greystones area, inland; nice garden or own grounds desirable; good food and cooking essential; please state terms, moderate; if comfortable would likely be for 4 months or so.—R O 484, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines 13 F

BOARD Residence offered, quiet, country town, Leix (Midlands); suit elderly people or lady with child; electric light, bathroom; terms (adults) 30/- weekly. Address "Z 233, Board Residence," this office. 12 A

CONVERTED Flats Wanted, in or near Dublin.—T 731, this office. 14 A

FLAT, Unfurnished Wanted; 3 large rooms, kitchenette, bathroom within 2d. tram Dame street; £52.—T 711, this office.

GENTLEMAN requires Bed-Sittingroom, with h. and c. water installed; South side; partial board, private house.—T 728, this office 14 B

LADY requires small, Furnished Flat or Bed-Sittingroom, partial board; Rathgar; Protestant.—T 706, this office.

LADY (widow), Protestant, requires private house, Ballsbridge, Palmerston road, sunny Bed Sitting, Kitchenette; permanent, reasonable—822, Irish Times Branch Office, Dun Laoghaire. 13 F

LADY Wants Unfurnished Bed-Sittingroom; Rathmines, Pembroke, £1 monthly.—T 716, this office.

LADY requires Rooms, or as Paying Guest; inland, about 30 miles Dublin.—T 679 this office. 14 A

MOBHI road, Ballymun road or Griffith avenue—Gentleman requires Board Residence.—T 735, this office

PAYING Guests—Two Adults and two Children require superior, comfortable Home, Counties Offaly, Westmeath, Roscommon.—T 642, this office.

TWO Ladies require large Bedroom, single beds, Sittingroom, partial board; select house, Rathgar or Terenure.—T 671, this office 13 F

TWO gentlemen require Partial Board, select Apartments, in Pembroke or Blackrock; permanent; state terms.—T 607, this office. 12 F

TWO Furnished Bedrooms and Sittingroom, with attendance, Protestant household, in or near provincial town, with good secondary school; alternatively full board and lodging, four persons; terms and all particulars.—T 700, this office.

UNFURNISHED self contained Flats required, city and South suburbs, from £60 yearly.—"Ideal Agency," 6 Nassau street. 'Phone 63250 13 F

YOUNG Man requires properly Furnished Bed-Sittingroom; all meals; South side; wishes to be permanent; state terms.—T 751, this office.

YOUNG lady requires Bed Sittingroom, no attendance; Blackrock; state terms.—T 698, this office.

EVACUATION.

ACCOMMODATION REQUIRED AND OFFERED.

ACCOMMODATION for Evacuees from lady living in safe area, County Wicklow, 30 miles Dublin, beside 'bus, rail, shops, post office, churches; house large, comfortable; large grounds, own produce. Particulars, terms, 'phone Glenealy 4. 13 F

ACCOMMODATION in centrally situated country house; safe, healthy district; h. and c., indoor sanitation, moderate term.—Devil's Bit House, Barnane, Templemore.

ACCOMMODATION Required upon evacuation for secondary school girl 16½ years. Terms, T 702, this office.

ACCOMMODATION for Guests, inland (safe area); also Lodge to Let, Furnished, own produce.—"Rathclaren," Killarney road, Bray.

BEAUTIFUL Home, evacuation area, country, quarter mile from churches, convent, national, secondary schools; house lighted with Calor gas; use piano, radio. Only paying guests need apply. Address "Z 244, Home," this office 13 F

BOARD Residence or Furnished Rooms, Meath town, can be booked reasonably for emergency. Address "Z 146, Rooms," this office. 8 X

DOCTOR and his wife in the country would take one or two children Paying Guests during the war; own milk eggs and country produce. Address "Z 284, Guests," this office.

EVACUATION—Furnished Rooms and Service in country house offered to family of two or three; 3 gns. each weekly; safe area, Co. Wexford. Address "Z 241, Rooms," this office. 13 F

EVACUATION—Wanted, Accommodation for mother, nurse and baby in private house or hotel, N. Kildare, Wicklow or Co. Dublin.—T 663, this office. 13 F

EVACUEE, elderly lady requires accommodation in reception area, near railway; hotel preferred.—T 659, this office. 13 A

EVACUATION Accommodation Wanted for Lady and two daughters in any reception area; preferably in doctor's house, where daughter's V.A.D. knowledge may be helpful if required; moderate. Full particulars, 762, Dixon, Dun Laoghaire.

EVACUATION—We have numerous enquiries for small Houses, furnished and unfurnished; Bungalows, Cottages, Gate Lodges, etc.; reception areas. Particulars to Adam and Sons, 17 Merrion Row, Dublin. 14 C

EVACUATION—Wanted, Accommodation for two widows and four grown daughters; state full particulars and terms.—Box 764, Dixon, Dun Laoghaire.

EVACUATION—Will people having Houses or Flats to Let, in safe areas, send full details to me, as I have many inquiries, requiring early possession.—Maguire, Estate Agent, 45 Molesworth street.

EVACUATION Area—To Let, Hillview Cottage, Coolagad, isolated position, Furnished or Unfurnished; three rooms and small kitchen, Elsan sanitation, garden; Bray 3 miles, Delgany 2 miles, 'bus stop, shop and hotel ½ mile.—MacDonald Douglas, Coolagad, near Delgany. 14 A

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FURNISHED or Unfurnished House required in evacuation area; 4/5 bedrooms.—R O 482, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 12 F

FURNISHED Bed-Sittingroom, use of kitchen, required upon evacuation for mother and girl, 9 years in reception area; indoor sanitation; state terms.—T 707, this office.

LADY would Let Flat duration war; lovely country house; safe area (Meath). Address "Z 282, Flat," this office.

RECEPTION Area—House Wanted, Furnished or Unfurnished, 4-5 bedrooms; state rent, when may be inspected; full particulars.—T 699, this office. 14 A

WANTED, nice Furnished House in reception area.—T 547, this office. 11 F

WANTED Accommodation, country house, doctor's family, number 5, ... event of evacuation.—T 723, this office 14 A

WANTED, comfortable Sittingroom, Bedroom (2 beds), attendance; ladies; 25/- weekly; private family, South suburbs; convenient.—183, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot street Bridge.

BUSINESS, BUSINESS PREMISES, LANDS, ETC.

BANK Insurance or Warerooms to Let, 121 Stephen's Green; Shop and Basement, 20 x 100 feet; inquire premises. 13 F

DROGHEDA—Shop and Premises, central, 4 minutes from rail, available for collecting and despatching goods; owner willing to act as agent.—T 761, this office.

EXTENSIVE Premises, suit warehouse, factory; Mary street. Apply 252 North Circular road. 14 A

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SOUND Investment—Shop Property and Freehold Rent at Blackrock; modern House at Hollybank avenue, Ranelagh. Sale by Auction, Thursday, February 27th.—Hasley and Co., Blackrock. 11 B

TWO large Offices to Let, £52 p.a., situated Burgh quay; top flat. Apply 14 Hawkins street. 14 A

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ABOUT Clothes—Mrs. Cusack, 65 Aungier street, Purchases Left-off Clothing, Furniture, etc. Highest prices given T

A DUBLIN reader—the kind of girl people like and trust—has her character delineated from her handwriting in the "Weekly Irish Times" to-day. 11 F

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BLACK Coney Seal Coat, skunk collar, perfect, cost £27, accept £8; bargain.—T 760, this office.

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FOR Sale, Youth's Tweed Suit (34 ins.), new, 35/-.—T 669, this office. 13 F

FOR Sale, Girl's Black Riding Boots (3), Coat, Breeches; £3; seen Dublin.—T 757, this office.

FOR Sale, "Bally's Vasano" Shoes (5), almost new; what offers? Also Court Shoes.—T 611, this office.

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WANTED, Ladies and Gent's Cast Off Clothing; private person.—T 714, this office. 14 A

WANTED, Gent's Suits, Overcoats, Shoes, Ladies', Children's Clothes.—Mrs. Roberts, 13 Merrion row.

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APPLY for quotation, Best Poultry Food, Chick Mashes, etc.—Williamson, 182 Pearse street. Telephone 72286

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CASTLE Apex Night Ark, £3 and £4; carriage paid, cash with order.—Castle MacGarrett Industries, Claremorris. 13 X

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DELICIOUS Hot Buttered Eggs for Sale.—Anderson, The Orchard, Shankill. 13 F

FOR Sale, Glevum superior Incubator, 300 egg size, as new; can be seen at present running a hatch; £8, free on rail. Apply (Mrs.) Petrie, Greenlands Stores, Ballina.

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HATCHING Eggs—Sex-linked R.I. Red x Sussex, R.I. Red x Wyandotte ... 3/6 hundred.—Leslie-Ellis, Magherymore, Wicklow. 13 A

HATCHING Eggs—Rhode White Leghorns, blood tested stock, 5/- a dozen, 40/- a hundred; Day Old Chicks, 15/- a dozen, £6 a hundred, carriage paid; White Leghorn Cockerels, 12/-.—Barrow and Jameson, Milestown, Castlebellingham. 14 X

LARGE, Fresh Eggs, delivered weekly; satisfaction guaranteed; also good Boiling Fowl. Address "Z 296, Eggs," this office.

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PEDIGREE Golden Buff Rock Settings 6/-; Buff Cockerel, 2 Hens, B.T., 20/-.—Miss Mangan, Swordlestown, Naas.

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WANTED, Pheasants, ten or dozen young Hens, preferably wild, for restocking.—Hollybrook House, Boyle. 13 A

WANTED, 50 Rhode Day Olds, about February 20; Dublin. Address "Z 295, Poultry," this office.

WANTED, Sell or Exchange, Welsummer Cockerel, pure bred, perfect condition.—Thompson, Gilbinstown, Dunlavin.

YOUNG Ducks, many laying, 5/- each; few splendid K.C. Drakes, 6/6.—Leslie-Ellis, Magherymore, Wicklow. 13 F

20 R.I.R. pure-bred, just 5 months old, price 63/- doz.; J. K. Campbell Drake 5/- (Dept. ringed), carriage paid.—Brennan, Dept. Station, St. Mullin's, Co. Carlow.

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COLLIE Sheep and Cattle Dog, massive, healthy Cocker Spaniel, gundog; or companion Terrier, ratter breed; cheap. Address "Z 277, Dog," this office.

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FOR Sale, Dachshund Puppies, splendid pedigree.—Mrs. V. McDaniel, Laurel Ville, Ballybrack. Telephone 83459 13 A

FOR Sale, pure bred Labrador Retriever Bitch, age 1½ years, untrained. Address "Z 234, Retriever," this office. 13 F

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WANTED, Male Aberdeen Terrier Puppy, pedigree not essential. Apply Miss Rowan, 19 Herbert Park, Ballsbridge.

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WANTED, Male Persian Kitten, about 3 months old; state colour. Address "Z 222, Kitten," this office.

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A PUMP for every purpose can be obtained from our Stores; Deep and Shallow Well; also a large variety of Contractors Pumps, suitable for water and semi-solids.—Hendron Bros., Broadstone, Dublin.

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FOR Sale, 1 Cradley Vertical Cross Tube Boiler, 1928, approximately 8' x 4', 100 lbs., W.B. Inspection by appointment. Apply Hammond Lane Metal Co., Ltd., 45 City quay, Dublin. 14 B

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Professor E. Curtiss, M.A., lectured to the Dublin Literary Society last night on the subject "On Being Out of Date." His lecture consisted primarily of a review of English word usage and *clichés* in the present and past. He took a great objection to modern English grammar and disliked such expressions now commonly used, such as "being under the weather," and other such slang.

The ghastly *clichés* of modern war repelled him—an example was "mopping up operations"—but these had become official, the B.B.C. having used them many times.

Turning to journalism, he saw the same odious *clichés* appearing in publicity matter. He confessed that he was unable to understand modern poetry. He was unable to understand the examples of it as published in the *Irish Times* on most Saturdays.

Professor Magennis presided.

NEW DEVELOPMENTS IN PHOTOGRAPHY

ROYAL DUBLIN SOCIETY LECTURE

New developments in photography were described to members of the Royal Dublin Society yesterday by Mr. F. R. A. McCormick, M.A., B.Sc., A.R.P.S., in the course of his lectures on "Camera-Craft." Colour photography, he said, was first invented by the late Professor Joly as long ago as 1896.

Some of Professor Joly's experimental pictures, together with colour photographs taken by the most modern methods, were shown among a large number of lantern slides, with which the lectures were illustrated.

X-ray and infra-red ray photography were explained by Mr. McCormick, who said that infra-red ray pictures were used to penetrate camouflage. He also showed an aerial photograph taken by means of a flash bomb.

Hints on camera-craft for amateurs were given by the lecturer, who urged that the Royal Dublin Society should undertake a photographic survey of the historical buildings and antiquities of Ireland in order that a record of them might be preserved.

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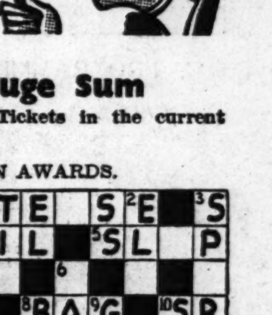

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4. Sometimes needs expert attention.
5. Boy may make better "fist" of exercise when he recalls —— on previous day.
15. —— pieces of material will be much sought after by ragman.

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1. Notice is sometimes taken of sporting one.
2. Might be seen in some forests.
3. A bad crack from one might cause serious injury.
6. Man working on commission sometimes has very bad ——.
7. To-day the people of Ireland —— to defend their country in the event of attack.
8. Man very keen on hobby may —— himself in den for hours of his spare time.
9. This watch may cost a lot.
10. People may be advised to take holiday at —— after illness.
11. Dying fire may —— when fanned.
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13. May warm.
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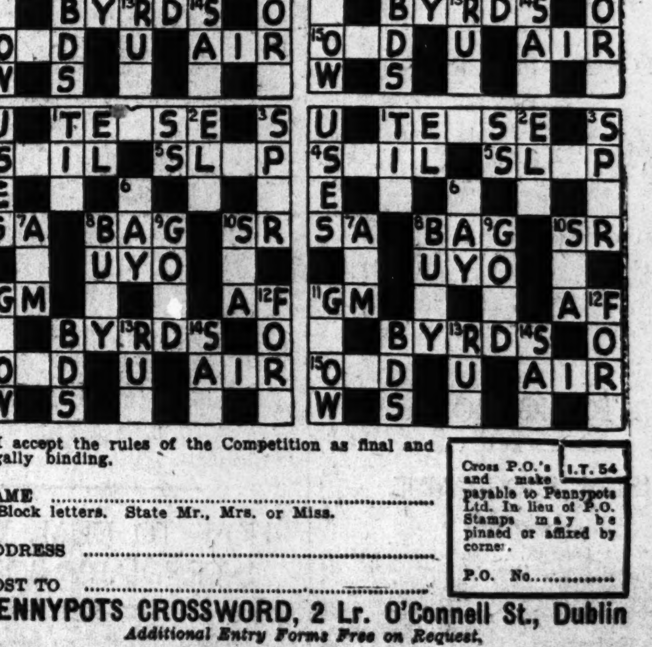

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Consolation awards are being dispatched to all runners-up. Full list appears weekly in "Pennypots Post," free on application. Any competitor who claims to have sent in an all-correct entry may apply for a re-check. Applications, by registered post, must be accompanied by £2 fee (returnable if claim justified) to arrive by Feb. 24. Cheques posted to prize-winners on Feb. 26.

IRISHMAN'S DIARY

Christine Hayden in "Dancing Shadow" : A Present for Lord Halifax : Film and its Keeping Power
The New Secretary for Scotland

A Light of Labour

Mr. Tom Johnston, whom the reshuffle of offices in the British Cabinet has made Secretary for Scotland, is one of the ablest administrators brought out by the Labour Party.

In the last Labour Government in 1929 he was Lord Privy Seal, and was one of the Ministers who parted company then with Ramsay Macdonald after many years of personal, as well as political, friendship.

Mr. Johnston was born in Kirkintilloch fifty-nine years ago, and went from the elementary school there to Glasgow University. In Glasgow he was one of the founders and President of the University Socialist Society. He was founder, too, and for many years editor, of the Glasgow Socialist weekly, *Forward*, in which George Bernard Shaw's references to Ireland in this war have been making such stir lately.

From 1914 to 1918 Mr. Johnston conducted an extremely vigorous campaign against the war, but was broadminded enough to continue to print weekly columns written by regular contributors who were violently opposed to his editorial policy. Among his contributors for several years were Ramsay Macdonald and James Connolly. Under his *régime*, *Forward* had one of its issues confiscated for carrying a verbatim report of a very stormy meeting of Clyde workers addressed by Mr. Lloyd George as Minister of Munitions.

Mr. Johnston is the author of the standard "History of the Working Classes in Scotland," and another work of his, "Our Noble Families," has sold over 100,000 copies.

Coincidences

I see that Micheal MacLiammoir's new play, "Dancing Shadow," which opens next week at the Gaiety, will have in one of the principal parts Christine Hayden, from the Abbey Theatre.

"Chris" made her *début* at the Abbey in 1917—oddly enough, the very year in which the first act of "Dancing Shadow," her *début* with Edwards-MacLiammoir, takes place. To push coincidence to its logical extreme, I suppose that in this second 1917 she should play the part of someone making her *début* on the stage! She misses this ultimate of coincidence, but not by much, for in MacLiammoir's play she is Mary Conlan, who in 1917 has just moved from Cork to Dublin and started theatrical "digs."

In recent years Miss Hayden has appeared on the stage less frequently, preferring to devote her time to her home—she is the wife of Eric Gorman, Secretary of the National Theatre Society—and to her ruling hobby, golf.

But the part of Mary Conlan, one of those delightful mothers with an amusingly distracted manner hiding a surprising but equally amusing practicality, won her enthusiasm at once.

This is the first time she has played with any of the company except Meriel Moore. Meriel and she met in the London production of "Drama at Inch" at the Ambassadors some years ago, where both were on leave from Dublin.

Another coincidence? Perhaps, but I will not pursue this one!

—and a Mishap

Now that I am on the subject, I hear that the "great snow of '41"—now, happily, a memory—very nearly had serious artistic effects.

Alighting from an automobile, Micheal MacLiammoir met with a slight accident, which resulted in several cuts and bruises serious enough to prohibit his working for over a week. During that week the Dublin Gate Theatre were in a fine state of suspense. Besides being the author, Micheal is also acting one of the principal parts and designing the décor, so that without him the show could not go on.

However, he returned to rehearsals with no visible bad effects. I hear, by the way, that "Dancing Shadow" is quite different from "Where Stars Walk," in that Micheal has left the influence of Irish mythology for a story of everyday modern Dublin and the shadow of an Andalusian dancer.

Concerning Film

It is many a long month since I made any use of my camera, which used to be an inseparable companion; but, finding it in an inconspicuous corner of my bedroom, I discovered that it contained a film on which approximately eighteen out of a possible thirty-six exposures had been made.

I was minded to throw the film away, on the ground that after lying in the camera for so long it would probably have gone sour or something, but on second thoughts I developed it, and found the results quite satisfactory

Film, even when exposed, seems to have remarkable keeping powers. My friend, Barry Mason, who ought to know what he is talking about, tells me, however, that its keeping powers depend to a very large extent on the locality, and in this respect we are lucky, because Dublin appears to be one of the better places.

You can generally reckon that the average film—I am uncertain whether he refers to miniature film, packed in a tin, or to any kind—will remain in good condition for eighteen months to two years after the date marked on it. He is assuming, of course, that you do not store it in the bathroom.

Dublin, in fact, is exceptionally good for this purpose. Portsmouth, on the other hand, is the worst place for the storage of film in these islands. A film is lucky if it remains good for six months after the date marked.

Why there should be such a difference between the atmosphere of two seaports I cannot tell.

Lord Halifax's Bedside Book

Among the luggage Lord Halifax took with him to Washington was a tattered leather-bound book presented to him recently by an Irish friend of mine living in London.

A few months ago my friend was burrowing among a heap of somewhat unpromising-looking rubbish in a crowded second-hand dealer's in Brighton. At the bottom of an immense pile, marked "6d. each," he spied the unmistakable tooled binding of a Pickering and at once began scrambling for it. It turned out to be an exquisitely printed edition (1859) of Thomas à Kempis—a superb Pickering of the best period, with ravishing ornamented red capitals.

It was not, however, till months later that my friend noticed on the fly-leaf the inscription in faded yellowing ink: "George Graham, from his sincere friend, Charles Lindley Wood, on his leaving Eton, Christmas, 1864."

This set him thinking; for Charles Lindley Wood was, of course, the name of Lord Halifax's father, the famous leader of the Anglo-Catholic movement in the Church of England, who died a few years ago at the age of 94 and to whom the present Lord Halifax was devoted.

So he wrote to Lord Halifax, asking him if he would like to have the book as a gift. Lord Halifax replied by special messenger within a few hours, and on receiving the book wrote again to my friend, saying that "for special sentimental reasons" he would treasure the book, and that it would accompany him as a bedside book on his travels wherever he went.

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ON THE WIRELESS

TO-DAY

IRISH PROGRAMME

6.30—Light Music. 6.40—Sports Results, Official Announcements. 6.45—News. 7.0—Your Gardening Problems: G. O. Sherrard. 7.15—Irish Radio Orchestra (Conductor, Dr. V. O'Brien). 8.0—Microphone Parade, presented by the Radio Reporter, Niall Boden. 8.30—Newcomers. 9.0—"Dancing Time." 9.30—"Golden Melody Contest," relayed from the Leinster Cinema, Dublin. 10.0—Nuacht (News). 10.10—English. 10.30—Let's have a Sing Song.

B.B.C. PROGRAMME

7.0—Time, News, Records. 7.30—"Up in the Morning Early." 7.50—Records. 7.55—"Lift up your hearts!" 8.0—Time, News. 8.15—Talk on Food. 8.20—Theatre Organ. 8.40—Violin Recital. 9.0—Records. 9.30—Orchestra. 11.15—Time, Service. 10.30—Records. 11.0—Theatre Organ. 11.30—Talk on Health. 11.45—Light Music. 12.30—Concert. 1.0—Time, News. 1.15—Talk. 1.30—Life Story of Offenbach. 2.15—Song Memories. 2.30—In Memoriam (Sir Donald Tovey). 3.25—Dance Music. 4.0—"Your Good Name is Mine" (6). 4.15—French Songs. 4.30—"Meet the Girls." 5.0—News, Discussion (Welsh). 5.20—Children's Hour. 6.0—Time, News. 6.30—News (Norwegian). 6.40—Nelson's Letters. 6.45—"Can I Help You?" 7.0—"In Town To-night." 7.30—Word from America. 8.0—Music Hall. 9.0—Time, News. 9.35—Cesar Franck. 10.15—Evensong. 10.30—Theatre Organ. 11.0—Dance Music. 12.0—Time, News.

FORCES PROGRAMME

6.30—Records, Time, News. 7.5—Records. 10.30—B.B.C. 11.0—Time, Anniversaries. 11.15—Dance Music. 11.45—Records. 12.15—News (French). 1.0—News (Dutch). 1.15—Variety Orchestra. 1.30—Band. 2.15—B.B.C. 2.30—Theatre Organ. 2.50—Famous Goalkeepers. 3.0—B.B.C. 3.30—Popular Tunes. 4.0—Football Commentary. 4.45—Violin. 5.0—Time, Jazz Records. 5.15—News (German). 5.30—"Speak to Me of Love." 6.0—News (Dutch, French). 6.30—Theatre Organ. 7.0—B.B.C. 7.30—Accordian. 8.0—B.B.C. 9.0—News (German). 9.20—Dance Music. 10.15—Mark Conway. 10.30—Theatre Organ. 11.0—Close down.

TO-MORROW

IRISH PROGRAMME

5.30—No. 1 Army Band (Conductor, Captain J. M. Doyle) and P. J. Duffy (Baritone). 6.30—Val Vousden: Entertainer. 6.45—"In reply to yours." 7.30—Nuacht na Seachtaine. 7.45—Drama Review: Dublin and Birr: Michael Farrell. 8.5—This Week's Orchestral Programmes. 8.15—Question Time. 8.55—Relay of Concert from St. Mary's Hall, Belfast. 10.0—The Week's Appeal. 10.5—News. 10.20—Dublin Metropolitan Garda Céilidhe Band, under the direction of Supt. C. O'Donnell Sweeney. 10.50 — Gaelic Sports Talk: Séan O Ceallachàin.

B.B.C. PROGRAMME

7.0—Time, News. 7.15—Quintet. 8.0—Records. 8.30—Theatre Organ. 9.0—Time, News. 9.15—Records. 9.30—Service. 10.15—French Folk Songs. 10.30—Dance Music. 11.0—"In Town To-night." 11.30—Piano Recital. 12.0—Theatre Organ. 12.15—Tzigane (records). 12.45—Everyman's Music. 1.0—Time, News. 1.15—Band. 1.45—"Strange to Relate." 2.15—Gardening Talk. 2.30—"The Taming of the Shrew." 3.45—Records. 4.0—Orchestral Concert. 4.45—Religious Reading. 5.0—News and Talk (in Welsh). 5.15—Children's Hour. 6.0—Time, News. 6.30—News (Norwegian). 6.40—Talk. 6.50—'Cello and Piano. 7.20—"A Tragedy of Two Ambitions." 8.0—Service. 8.40—Appeal. 8.45—Anthems. 9.0—Time, News. 9.30—Viola Recital. 10.0—Band. 10.30—Epilogue. 10.38—Orchestra. 11.15—Theatre Organ. 11.40—Quiet Music. 12.0—Time, News.

FORCES PROGRAMME

6.30—Records; Time, News. 7.15—Records. 10.20—News (India). 10.30—For Indian Troops. 11.0—Time; Service. 11.15—Anniversaries. 11.30—Records. 12.0—B.B.C. 12.15—News (French). 12.30—Variety. 1.0—News (Dutch). 1.15—Music Hall. 2.15—Sunday Matinee. 2.50—Religious Talk. 3.0—Dance Music. 3.30—Theatre Organ. 4.0—Concert. 4.45—Piano Recital. 5.0—Time; "Close-up." 5.15—News (German). 5.30—Ice Hockey (Canada). 6.0—News (Dutch, French). 6.30—"Hi, Gang!" 7.10—Weekly News. 7.30—Community Hymn Singing. 8.0—Variety. 9.0—News (German). 9.20—Dance Band. 10.0—Time; Epilogue. 10.8—Theatre Organ. 10.30—Records. 11.0—Close down.

LIGHT EMERGENCY AMBULANCE

CINEMA GIFT TO RED CROSS

Receiving a light emergency ambulance, the gift of the Theatre and Cinema Association of Ireland, at the headquarters of the Red Cross Society in Merrion square, Dublin, yesterday, the Hon. Mr. Justice Conor Maguire, chairman of the Council of the Society, said that from the lessons learned in England it was found that this type of ambulance was likely to be more valuable than the heavier ones during an emergency. He thanked the Association for their gift and said that many more ambulances were required to implement the Society's plans.

Mr John Fagan, President of the Association, who made the presentation, expressed the hope that it never would have to be used for the purpose for which it was intended.

Those present at the ceremony included:—Mr. W. E. Wylie, K.C.; Colonel McKinney, Mr. G. Ellis, secretary of Irish Cinemas, Ltd.; Mr. W. McNally, Mr. L. E. Ging, Mr. A. Elliman, Mr Maurice Elliman, Mr. P. J. Gallagher (representing Messrs. Kennedy Crowley, secretaries), and Mr. P. J. Whelan.

HOW TO DEAL WITH INCENDIARY BOMBS

Following a request from members of the St. Barnabas Public Utility Society for instruction on the subject, a large gathering of residents of the East Wall district in the St. Barnabas Hall was treated last night to an informative lecture on incendiary bombs and how to deal with them.

To help the members of the Society in organising against the possibility of damage by incendiary bombs, Captain McDonagh, No. 3 Area Warden and Mr. William G. Nolan, Director of Training, No. 8 Area, explained the nature of the measures to be taken against fire bombs and afterwards gave a practical demonstration of how they are dealt with.

The audience included representatives of several large commercial undertakings in the area.

TO-MORROW'S CHURCH SERVICES

SEXAGESIMA

ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL.—To-day (Saturday). 10 a.m. Psalm, 77. Chants, 78-69. Urbs Fortitudinis, 45. Hymn, 538. To-morrow (Sunday). Holy Communion at 8 a.m. Matins at 11.15 o'clock. Psalm, 139. Te Deum, Benedictus, Coleridge-Taylor in F. Processional Hymn, 383. Anthem, "Thy word is a lantern," Purcell. Hymn, 731. Preacher, the Rev. W. Nesbitt Harvey, B.D., Rector of Sandford. Holy Communion (Choral) at 12 noon. Kyrie, Credo, Sanctus, Gloria, Harwood in A flat. Hymn during Communion, 205 (alt.). Evensong at 3.15 o'clock. Psalm. 26. Magnificat, Nunc Dimittis, Coleridge-Taylor in F. Processional Hymn, 383. Anthems—1st, "Teach me, O Lord," Attwood; Hymn, 731; 2nd, "O where shall wisdom," Boyce. Preacher, the Rev. E. M. Bateman, M.A., Rector of Booterstown.

ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL, ARMAGH.—Holy Communion first and third Sundays at 8 a.m. Second, fourth, and fifth Sundays after Matins. Matins at 11 o'clock. Psalm, 80. Service, Ireland in F. Anthem, "Teach me, O Lord, the way of Thy statutes," Attwood (642). Hymns, 527, 422. Evensong at 3.15 o'clock. Psalms, 82, 83. Service, Ireland in F. Anthem, "Thy word is a lantern," Purcell (738). Hymn, 432.

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL.—To-day (Saturday). Matins at 10.45 o'clock. Venite, 226. Psalm, 75 (227). Te Deum, 276, 277, 278. Hymn, 610. Evensong at 3 o'clock. Men's voices only. Psalm, 77 (32, 31). Nunc Dimittis, B. Luard-Selby (1853-1919) in G. Anthem, "Seek Him that maketh the seven stars," Edward Elgar (1857-1934). To-morrow (Sunday). Cantoris. Matins at 11 o'clock. Processional Hymn, 531. Venite, 233. Psalm, 80 (235). Te Deum, John Stainer (1840-1901) in E flat. Benedictus, 757. Holy Communion, Introit, 219, "How dear are Thy counsels," William Crotch (1799-1847). Kyrie, Credo, Sanctus, Gloria, John Stainer in E flat. Preacher, Right Rev. J. P. Phair, D.D., Bishop of Ossory. Hymn during Offertory, 214 (t. 11). Hymn, 209 (1). Evensong at 3.30 o'clock. Processional Hymn, 390. Psalm, 84 (761). Magnificat, Nunc Dimittis, John Stainer in E flat. Anthem, 773, "Wherewithal shall a young man," William Boyce (1710-1779). Hymn, 674 (2). Recessional Hymn, 564.

ST. ANNE'S CATHEDRAL, BELFAST.—Holy Communion at 8 and 10.45 a.m. Matins and Holy Communion at 11.30 o'clock. Venite and Psalm, 81. Te Deum, Ireland in F. Anthem, "O where shall wisdom be found," Boyce. Hymns, 1, 394. Preacher, Rev. Canon J. S. Taylor, M.A., Lisburn Cathedral. First Evensong at 3.30 o'clock. Psalm, 84. Magnificat, Nunc Dimittis, Service, Ireland in F. Anthem, "Great and marvellous," Boyce. Hymns, 390, 580, 400 Preacher, The Dean. Second Evensong (Parochial) at 7 o'clock. Preacher, Rev. D. Stranex, B.A., Drew Memorial.

NOTICE.

Church Notices intended for this column on Saturday must reach the office not later than 6 p.m. on Thursday. Late Notices cannot be inserted.

ST. FIN BARRE'S CATHEDRAL, CORK.—Holy Communion at 8 a.m. Matins and Holy Communion at 11 o'clock. Psalm, 139 (vv. 1-18). Te Deum, Jubilate, Stanford in C. Anthem, "God be in my head," Walford Davies. Hymns, 563, 354. Preacher, The Dean. Children's Service at 3.30 o'clock. Evensong (Choral) at 7 o'clock. Processional Hymn, 419. Psalms, 25-26. Service, Stanford in G. Anthem, "Greater love hath no man," Ireland. Hymns, 747, 39. Preacher, Rev. E. P. Mills.

ST. CANICE'S CATHEDRAL, KILKENNY.—Holy Communion at 8.30 a.m. Matins and Holy Communion at 11.30 o'clock. Venite, 233. Psalm, 81. Chants, 236 and 237. Te Deum, Chant 305. Jubilate, 279. Kyrie, 4. Doxology, 1 and 2. Processional Hymn, 479. Hymns, 455, 219. Preacher, Rev. Canon Nevill, M.A. Evensong at 3.30 o'clock. Psalms, 84 and 85. Chants, 244, 340, and 339. Magnificat, Nunc Dimittis, King-Hall in E flat. Introit, "God be in my head," Walford Davies. Anthem, "Jesu, joy of man's desiring," Bach. Hymn, 363. Voluntary, Fantasia and Fugue in C minor, Bach.

ST. MARY'S CATHEDRAL, LIMERICK.—Holy Communion at 8 a.m. Matins and Holy Communion at 11 a.m. Matins. Processional Hymn, 487. Venite, 225. Psalm, 139 (v. 1-18). Te Deum, Smart in F. Jubilate, 52. Anthem, "O Lord, my God," Wesley. Kyrie, Credo, Woodward in E flat. Hymn, 292. Preacher, Rev. C. Ellis, B.D., Mission to Lepers. Evensong at 3.30 o'clock. Psalm, 25. Magnificat, Nunc Dimittis, Chants. Hymns, 457, 442, 13. Preacher, The Dean.

ST COLUMB'S CATHEDRAL, DERRY.—Holy Communion at 8 a.m. Military Service at 10 a.m. Matins and Holy Communion at 11.30 o'clock. Processional Hymn, No. 356. Psalm, No. 80. Service, Te Deum, Nares in F. Anthem, "Blessed are the merciful," Hiles. Hymns, Nos. 511, 110. Preacher, The Bishop. Young People's Service at 3 o'clock. Evensong at 6 o'clock. Processional Hymn, No. 512. Psalm, No. 84. Canticles, Nares in F. Anthem, "O come before His presence," Martin. Hymns, Nos. 515, 273, 364. Preacher, the Right Rev. Bishop Hind, D.D., Church Missionary Society.

CHAPEL OF TRINITY COLLEGE — 8, Holy Communion. 10, Morning Prayer. Psalm 139 (vv. 1-18). Service, Stanford in B flat. Anthem, "Jesu, joy of man's desiring" (J. S. Bach). Hymn 580. Archbishop King's Professor. Hymn 383.

COLLEGE OF ST. COLUMBA, Rathfarnham.—7.40 and 8.15, Holy Communion. 10, Matins. 7.45, Evensong. Rev. R. R. Hartford, B.D.

ST. MATTHIAS'S CHURCH—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer. Rev. Dr. de Pauley. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Evening Prayer. Rev. Dr. de Pauley.

ST. BARTHOLOMEW'S CHURCH.—7.45, Litany. 8, Holy Communion. 9.15, Holy Communion. 11, Matins (Smart in F, Wood in A flat), Canon Simpson. 12, Sung Eucharist (Ireland in C). 3.30, Young People. 6.30, Evensong (Congregational). Canon Simpson. Concluding Voluntary, Postlude in F (Stanford).

ST. ANN'S CHURCH — 8, Holy Communion. 10.15, Matins. Rev. T. F. Smith. 11.30, Matins and Holy Communion. Rev. T. F. Smith. 3.30, Young People's Service. 7, Evensong. The Vicar.

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, Rathmines—Family Sunday—8, Holy Communion. 10 and 11.30, Morning Prayer. Rev. Canon Tobias. 3.30, Children's Service. Mr. D. Clarke. 7, Evening Prayer. Rev. F. R. Alexander.

CHRIST CHURCH, Leeson Park—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer. Rev. B. M. Kennedy. 3.30, Children's Service. Rev. N. H. Hamilton. 7, Evening Prayer. Rev. R. S. Stewart. (Parade of Scouts and Guides.)

ST. COLUMBA'S CHURCH, Ranelagh—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer. Rev. R. S. Stewart. 7, Evening Prayer. Rev. B. M. Kennedy.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH — 11.30, Morning Prayer. 3.30, Young People's Service. 7, Holy Communion. Rev. R. Northridge. 12, Daily Intercession.

THE MAGDALEN CHURCH, Lower Leeson street (the Church's Ministry of Healing)—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer. 12, Holy Communion. 6.30, Evening Prayer.

ST. GEORGE'S PARISH CHURCH—8, Holy Communion. 12, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion. Rev. K. D. B. Dobbs. 7, Rev. Canon Campbell.

ST. AIDAN'S CHURCH—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion. Rev. Canon Campbell. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Rev. Brian Harvey.

ST. AUGUSTINE'S CHURCH—11.30, Morning Prayer. Rev. T. F. Blennerhassett. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Rev. K. D. B. Dobbs.

THE FREE CHURCH—10.30, Rev. K. D. B. Dobbs. 7, Rev. T. F. Blennerhassett.

ST. LUKE'S—1 30 and 7, Holy Communion. Rev. J. Blackwell.

IRISH CHURCH MISSIONS—11.30, Morning Prayer. 7, Evening Prayer. Preacher at both Services, Canon Cross.

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH, Grangegorman—7, Holy Communion. 11.30, Matins and Sermon. Rev. Canon Drury. 12.30, Sung Eucharist. 3.30, Girls' Confirmation Class. 4.30, Boys' Confirmation Class. 7, Evening Prayer and Sermon.

MISSION TO THE ADULT DEAF AND DUMB, Gregg Hall—3.30, Rev. V. J. Walker.

ST. MARY'S PARISH CHURCH—10.15 and 7. St. Mary's Chapel of Ease—11.30. Rev. Dr. Emerson.

ST. CATHERINE'S CHURCH. — 11.30, Holy Communion. Rev. M. G. Semple. 7, Evening Prayer. Rev. T. J. Johnston.

ST VICTOR'S CHURCH—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Holy Communion. Rev. T. J. Johnston. 7, Evening Prayer Rev M. G. Semple.

DRUMCONDRA CHURCH—8.15, Holy Communion. 12, Rev. R. K. W. Lowe. 4, Children's Service. 7, Rev. F. R. Mitchell.

NORTH STRAND CHURCH—8.15 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. C. J. Tyndall. 4, Children's Service. 7, Rev. R. K. W. Lowe.

ST. WERBURGH'S PARISH CHURCH—9, Holy Communion. 11.15, Morning Prayer; Rev. J. D. Murray. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Evening Prayer; Rev. G. S. McPhail.

ST. MICHAN'S CHURCH.—11, Rev. W. H. Adcock (Colonial and Continental Church Society).

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH—11.30, Holy Communion. Rev. R. J. Kerr. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Rev. W. H. Adcock (Colonial and Continental Church Society).

ST. MARK'S CHURCH—7 p.m., Holy Communion. 11.30 and 7, Rev. G. D. Hobson. 3.30, Children's Service.

ST. KEVIN'S CHURCH, S.C. road—11.30, Rev. W. G. L. Walker. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Holy Communion; Rev. W. G. L. Walker.

RATHFARNHAM PARISH CHURCH—8, Holy Communion. 10.15, Morning Prayer; Rev. C. H. Lloyd. 11.30, Holy Communion; Rev. C. H. Lloyd. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Evening Prayer; Rev. G. S. Nowlan.

ST. MARY'S, Donnybrook.—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Canon Powell. 3.30 and 7, Rev. M. A. Handy.

ST. PHILIP'S PARISH CHURCH, Temple road—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Service; Rev. W. H. Coulter. 7, Evensong and Sermon; Rev. W. H. Coulter.

ST. BRIGID'S CHURCH, Stillorgan—8.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. W. C. G. Proctor, B.D. 6.30, Rev. G. A. Lowe. (Gift Day for "Our Own Missionary.")

ST. PHILIP AND ST. JAMES'S CHURCH, Booterstown.—8.15 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30 and 7, Mr. T. Robinson, S.P.G. 3.30, Rev. E. W. Greening.

CLONTARF PARISH CHURCH. — 8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion. Rev. D. R. C. Hilliard. 7, Evening Prayer. Rev. J. B. Neligan. Collections for Missions to Seamen.

MONKSTOWN PARISH CHURCH.—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, the Rev. Harold G. Forde. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, the Rev. T. H. Kennedy.

ALL SAINTS', Raheny.—11.30, Matins and Holy Communion; Rev. R. G. F. Jenkins, B.D. 6.30, Evening Service; Canon Drury.

ST. MATTHEW'S, Irishtown.—11.30, Holy Communion; Rev. V. J. Walker. 3, Children's Service. 7, Rev. R. E. Weir.

MARINERS' CHURCH, Kingstown.—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Bishop of Kilmore. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Rev. C. J. Tyndall.

HAROLD'S CROSS PARISH CHURCH—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30 Rev. A. T. McNutt. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Rev. W. C. G. Proctor.

DALKEY PARISH CHURCH.—8.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; the Rector. 3.30, Children's Service. 6.30, Evening Prayer; the Rector (Parade Service of 17th Co. Girls' Brigade).

ZION CHURCH, Rathgar.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Holy Communion; Rev. L. A. Elliott. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Parade Service; Rev. R. J. Kerr.

ST. PAPPAN'S CHURCH, Santry.—8, Holy Communion. 10.30, Morning Prayer; Rev. W. A. M. Cox. 4, Evening Prayer; Rev. W. R. A. Bond.

ST. MOBHI'S CHURCH, Ballymun road, Glasnevin.—11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion, Rev. W. R. A. Bond. 3.30, Children's Service; Mr. C. Stronge. 7, Evening Prayer; Rev. W. A. M. Cox.

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CHURCH, Coolock.—12, Morning Prayer; Rev. W. A. M. Cox.

SANDFORD PARISH CHURCH.—11.30, Rev. C. T. A. Carter. 7, Rev. W. N. Harvey.

ST. PAUL'S, Glenageary.—8.30 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30 and 6.30, Rev. N. L. Roberts. 3.30, Children's Service.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCHES.

ABBEY CHURCH, Rutland square.—11.45 and 7, Rev. J. C. Breakey.

ADELAIDE ROAD.—11.30, Rev. Dr. McLagan. 7, Rev. Donald Kennedy.

ST. ANDREW'S, Blackrock.—11.30 and 7, Rev. J. Noel Thompson.

ST. ANDREW'S, Bray.—11.30 and 7, Rev. R. Crossett.

CHAPELIZOD.—4.30, Rev. Dr. J. A. H. Irwin.

CLONTARF.—11.30 and 7, Rev. S. J. Kennedy.

DONORE.—11.30, Very Rev. Dr. R. K. Hanna. 7, Dr. B. McCullogh.

HOWTH.—11.30 and 7, Rev. J. McCaughey.

KINGSTOWN.—11.30 and 7, Rev. J. S. Rutherford.

LUCAN.—10.15, Rev. Dr. J. A. H. Irwin.

MALAHIDE.—4, Rev. J. McCaughey.

ORMOND QUAY AND SCOTS CHURCH.—11.45 and 7, Rev. T. Byers.

RATHGAR (CHRIST CHURCH).—11.30, Rev. Edward Whittaker. 7, Rev. R. Montgomery.

SANDYMOUNT.—11.30 and 7, Rev. J. S. Crockett.

NAAS.—12 noon, Rev. Dr. J. A. H. Irwin.

MISSION CHURCH, Ormond quay.—Sabbath School, 3 p.m. Evangelistic Service, 4.30 p.m. Mr. G. Humphreys.

NORTH STRAND HALL.—Evangelistic Service, 8.15 p.m. Mr. E. Logan.

METHODIST CHURCHES.

CENTENARY CHURCH, St. Stephen's Green.—11.30, Rev. Donald Kennedy (S.C.M.). 7, Rev. Dr. McCracken.

KINGSLAND PARK.—10.30, Rev. David Allen. 7, Mr. David Rowe.

CHARLESTON ROAD, Rathmines—11.30 and 7, Rev. R. Lee Cole.

BRIGHTON ROAD.—11.30, Rev. R. Montgomery. 7, Rev. E. Whittaker.

GEORGE'S HALL.—11.30 and 7, Rev. Johnstone Hunter. 4, Brotherhood. Rev. J. Keys.

DOLPHIN'S BARN.—12, Rev. S. J. Crawford. 7, Rev. D. J. Allen.

INCHICORE.—11.30, Rev. D. J. Allen. 7, Rev. S. J. Crawford.

CLONTARF.—11.30 and 7, Rev. H. M. Watson.

CLONLIFFE.—11.30, Rev. G. M. Bryson. 7, Mr. J. A. Smith.

ABBEY STREET—11.30, Rev. C. Wilson. 7, Rev. W. T. Clarke.

BLACKHALL PLACE—11.30, Rev. W. T. Clarke. 7, Rev. J. Keys.

LUCAN—11.30, Rev. J. Keys. 7, Rev. C. Wilson.

SANDYMOUNT—11.30 and 7, Rev. R. A. Lockhart.

RINGSEND—11.30 and 7, Rev. W. S. Deale.

SUTTON—11.30 Mr. F. Macdonald. 3, Sunday School. 7, Rev. G. M. Bryson.

KINGSTOWN—11.30, Rev. Robert Moore. 7, Rev. W. Scott Johnston.

BLACKROCK—11.30, Rev. J. M. Alley. 7, Mr. F. W. Elliott.

DALKEY—11.30, Rev. W. Scott Johnston. 7, Mr. Matthew Wilson.

BRAY.—11.30 and 7, Rev. M. J. Lewis.

OTHER CHURCHES AND HALLS.

YORK STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Dublin—11.30, Rev. E. Gordon Fletcher.

KILMAINHAM CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—11.30, Mr. P. R. Downey. 7, Mr. J. J. E. Cuthbertson.

HARCOURT STREET BAPTIST CHURCH—11.30, Pastor L. E. Deens. 7, Pastor L. E. Deens. Young People's Service.

PHIBSBOROUGH BAPTIST CHURCH. — 11.30 and 7, Pastor J. Darashah, B.A.

UNITARIAN CHURCH Stephen's Green—12 and 7, Rev. E. Savell Hicks, M.A.

RELIGIOUS SOCIETY OF FRIENDS—Meetings for Public Worship—6 Eustace street, Dublin, 11 a.m.; Monkstown, 11 a.m.; Churchtown, 11 a.m.; Bray, 11.30 a.m.

MERRION HALL, Lower Merrion street—12 and 7, Mr. W. E. Tocher.

NORTHUMBERLAND HALL, Dun Laoghaire—To-morrow—3.15, Children's Service. 7, Mr. Pinkerton (Belfast). Thursday, 8, Mr. Geo. McDonald.

FAIRVIEW HALL—12, Mr. R. V. Squire. 7, Mr. H. Reid.

THE HALL, 5 Northumberland road (near Mount street Bridge). — To-morrow (Sunday) at 7 p.m., Service of Praise and Worship. Address by Pastor John S. Fox. Tuesday next at 8 p.m., Lantern Lecture "Babylon the Great" (in continuation), Pastor Fox. Thursday at 8 p.m., usual mid-week Service.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, Dublin, Lower Baggot street (a branch church of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.). Services—Sunday, 11.30 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday School, 11.30 a.m. Wednesday, Testimony Meeting, 8 p.m. Christian Science Reading Room (same address) open daily from 12 noon.

SECOND CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, Dublin, Rathmines Park (branch church of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.).—Sunday, 11.30 and 7; Sunday School, 11.30. Wednesday Testimony Meeting, 8 p.m. Christian Science Reading Room, Rathmines Park, open daily free to the public, 1 to

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATIONS.

CITY OF DUBLIN YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION, Lower Abbey street—To-night, 8, The Rally; Mr. A. G. Beaven. To-morrow: Bible Classes. Seniors, the General Secretary; Intermediate, the Assistant Secretary, and Boys' Department (all at 5 p.m.). 8.30, Evangelistic Service. Dublin Male Voice Choir. Mr. W. T. Callaghan. Monday, 17th, to Sunday, 23rd—Prayer and Convention Meetings; Rev. J. Darashah (of India)

KINGSTOWN YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION, 40 Corrig avenue, Kingstown, Co. Dublin.—To-morrow, 8.30, third of series of Prophetical Addresses by Mr. R. V. Squire. Subject, "Out of Great Tribulation."

IRISH RED CROSS SOCIETY

DUBLIN CITY BRANCH

The first meeting of the newly-elected Committee of the Dublin City Branch, Irish Red Cross Society, was held at 7-8 Lower Abbey street. The Lord Mayor presided, and the attendance included the Very Rev. M. S. Canon McMahon, P.P., Vice-Chairman; Mr. D. Bridgman, Hon. Secretary; Mr. D. M. O'Kelly, Hon. Treasurer; Dr. T. A. Bouchier-Hayes, Mr. R. Henderson, Mrs. M. Hanlon, Dr. M. S. Walsh, Mr. J. P. O'Brien, Alderman P. S. Doyle, T.D.; Mr. M. O'Sullivan, T.C., and Mr. Cathal Loughney, Secretary.

Mrs. M Hanlon and Mrs. F. Aiken were chosen to fill vacancies among the branch representatives on the Dublin County Committee.

The Committee agreed to hold its meetings on the fourth Thursday of every month.

GREYSTONES PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

The annual meeting of the Greystones congregation was held in the Church Hall—the Rev. R. K. Lyle in the chair—and was largely attended. A feature of the evening was the number of new members present. Reports were presented on the church's work, among them that for the kirk session by the clerk, Mr. W. H. Moore; the Women's Association for Foreign Missions, by Mrs. Young; the Sunday School, by Mrs. Lyle; the Literary Society, by Miss Melville; the Church Committee, with financial statement, by the Treasurer, Mr. J. E. Scott. Though faced with a considerable deficit, the congregation maintained its givings to missions, and made a special effort by means of a gift evening to clear off the accumulated debt. The effort had been entirely successful. Mrs. Murphy and Mrs. Morrow contributed to the enjoyment of the evening by their fine rending of sacred songs.

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL

The preacher at the Morning Service to-morrow in Christ Church Cathedral will be the Bishop of Ossory. The Service, both morning and evening, will be Stainer in E flat. After Evensong the Dean will give a short description of some of the objects of interest in the Cathedral to those who may be able to wait.

DUBLIN THEATRES NEXT WEEK

GAIETY—Hilton Edwards and Micheal Mac Liammoir (Dublin Gate Productions) open their season with the first production of "Dancing Shadow," a new play by Micheal Mac Liammoir.

ABBEY—"The Summit," George Shiels's sequel to his record-breaking "Rugged Path," is proving so popular that it is being retained for another week.

THE GATE—On Tuesday "The Seagull," Tchehov's play, will be continued for a second week

ROYAL—"Melody Rhythm" is the stage show "spotlighting" the Hayes's, supported by the Everett Brothers, Harvey and Forbes. The film, starting to-morrow night, is Bing Crosby's "Rhythm on the River"

OLYMPIA—"Trouble in Harlem," a completely new minstrel show, presented by the Cusex Productions.

TRINITY COLLEGE NOTES

SPEAKING OF LITTLE-GO—

FENCING CLUB FORMED IN COLLEGE

By Our Correspondent.

TO-DAY is the day of re-examination and the reconsideration of Little-goes. And the next public debate at the Historical Society will deal with Little-go. And the Little-go was the subject of nostalgic references by a distinguished chairman at a recent meeting. So we may speak circumspectly, but topically, of Little-go. There is no doubt that by far the greater part of the undergraduate body is irritated by this examination in its present form and would like to see it done away with. But not all their objections are equally valid. In the case of those who are taking an ordinary Arts course Little-go is no better and no worse than any of their other examinations. For them it is not an anomaly, and they have no real cause of complaint. But Honours Arts students and, to some extent, medical students, have a clear grievance. Their own course of studies is interrupted, and not (so it appears to them) for the acquisition of a new discipline or of knowledge that might be at all relevant. They are shown text-books that contain a smattering of knowledge on a large number of difficult and widely separated subjects—Latin, Mathematics, Mechanics or Chemistry, Logic, a modern language. If they acquire a smattering of the smattering that is in the text-books (they think) they will pass. But the "P." before their name on the results list will be the only benefit they have derived.

The Late Dr. Gwynn.

An unsatisfactory system, it is generally admitted; but how can it be changed? The main questions that suggest themselves are the following:—

Whether a new Little-go for Honours students and other specialists is not desirable?

Whether such an examination should not contain a wider choice of subjects (History, for instance, to be included), so that students should have more opportunity for studying subjects attractive to them?

Whether in the chosen subjects a far higher standard should not be expected, so as to avoid mere general dabbling?

Whether in certain subjects more modern text-books would not be desirable ("Logic," for instance, to include not only the Aristotelian scholasticism of Abbot, but more modern departures in semantics and dynamic Logic?)

These, of course, are possibly misguided queries, but the serious student is inclined to ask them.

The final question is: Whether a reasonable harmony can be established between what the student wants to learn and what his teachers want to make him learn.

DR. GWYNN

An obituary of Dr. E. J. Gwynn and appreciations of his work have already appeared in this paper All that need be said here is that during the past week there was ample evidence of the deep respect felt for the ex-Provost by all in College, even those who knew of him only by hearsay. The adjournments of the meetings of the Historical Society and the Philosophical Society were public marks of that respect, but the general sadness of those who heard the news and listened to the tolling of the Campanile bell were better marks.

EXAMINATIONS

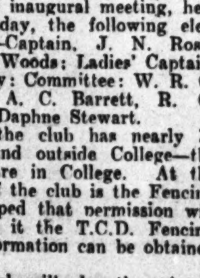
To-day there will be a re-examination in Arts for all classes. On Monday next the Final Medical Examination (Surgery) for all classes will take place, and on Tuesday the Carson Biblical and Toplady Memorial Scripture Prize Examinations will be held. On Thursday there will be a meeting of the Divinity School Council, and on next Saturday a meeting of the Senate for nomination to honorary degrees.

LAW SOCIETY

On next Friday three members of the D.U. Law Society, Messrs. H. L. McCreery, Sch.; R. W. R. Johnston and V. T. H. Delaney, will travel to Belfast to take part in a Moot with the Law Society of Queen's University. The Moot Court will hear an appeal from the decision in McLaughlin v. Antrim Electricity Supply Co., and D.U. Law Society will appear as counsel for the respondent. Mr. J. D. Chambers, K.C., a distinguished graduate of Dublin University, will preside.

SPORT

The Captain of the D.U. Fencing Club writes:—"Ever since the end of last term there has been a movement on foot to form a College Fencing Club. It began with a few enthusiasts accepting the invitation of the Dublin Fencing Club to go down and fence there on Thursday evenings. Later a notice was put up at the front gate to see how many people were interested in the formation of a College Club, and to the general surprise over 40 names were given. Difficulties were encountered in the way of having a club actually in College, especially as there was no suitable room other than the Dixon Memorial Hall. So the club had to be formed outside, and here the Dublin and Marine (Dun Laoghaire) clubs came to our rescue. In fact, had it not been for the help and encouragement of W. R. C. Parke, ex-T.C.D. (Secretary of the Dublin Club), we should never have been able to form a club at all.



Mr. J. N. Ross.

"As it is, we are lucky to have a separate organisation of our own, without the responsibility of club premises, at any rate, until next year." At the inaugural meeting, held in College on Tuesday, the following elections were made:—Captain, J. N. Ross; Secretary, F. B. B. Woods; Ladies' Captain, Miss Eleanor McCloy: Committee: W. R. C. Parke, Captain R. A. C. Barrett, R. O. Robinson and Miss Daphne Stewart.

At the moment the club has nearly 30 members both in and outside College—the majority of these are in College. At the moment the name of the club is the Fencing Union, but it is hoped that permission will be obtained to call it the T.C.D. Fencing Union. Further information can be obtained from the Captain.

The D.U. Golf Club will play three intervarsity matches during the present term. The first of these, against U.C.D., for the P. J. Murphy Cup, will take place on Wednesday, 19th February. The club hopes to entertain the Q.U.B Golf Club on the 25th February, and it is hoped that a team from U.C.C. will visit in March.

NOTICE TO PORTUGUESE CITIZENS

Any citizens of Portugal at present in Eire and requiring repatriation to Portugal or any part of the Portuguese Colonies are requested to call or write to the offices of the Portuguese Honorary Vice-Consul, Mr. Kevin J. Kenny, 65 Middle Abbey street, Dublin, for the purpose of registration. It is emphasised that, owing to the current difficulties of transport and the danger of a cessation entirely of such transport, immediate registration is essential. This measure does not apply to Portuguese merchant seamen, who are instructed to remain with their ships under all circumstances.

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SETTLEMENTS OF ACTIONS

(BEFORE MR JUSTICE HANNA.)

The following settlements were announced: William Jenkins, 183 Oliver Plunkett street, Irishtown, Dublin, is to receive £485 and costs for injuries suffered when he was knocked down while cycling near Balbriggan on June 24 last by a motor lorry the property of Messrs. Jack Dolan, Ltd., Sheriff street, Dublin.

Mr. G. L. McGowan, solicitor, was for Mr. Jenkins, and Mr. Sean Ryan (Messrs. James O'Connor and Co.) for Messrs. Dolan.

Jeremiah Moran, a County Council ganger, of Kilmeena, Westport, is to receive £400 and a sum for costs for injuries suffered on July 27 last when, while cycling near Partry, Co. Mayo, he was struck by an iron rim which broke off the rear right wheel of a motor lorry owned by Michael O'Mara, Tullyduff, Kilmaine, which was passing him at the time.

Messrs. Michael Moran and Co. were solicitors for Mr. Moran, and Mr. Sean Ryan (Messrs. James O'Connor and Co.) for Mr. O'Mara.

Ellen Gardiner (20), who sued by her father, Nicholas Gardiner, Cuilmore, Gurteen, Co. Sligo, is to receive £265 and a sum for costs for injuries suffered when she was knocked down on the road between Tubbercurry and Gurteen on February 10, 1940, by a motor car owned by John William Killoran, Killavil, Ballymote.

Of that sum £45 was allowed to her father to defray hospital and other medical expenses.

Mr. O. Gogarty (instructed by Mr. Patrick T. Monahan) appeared for Miss Gardiner, and Mr. Valentine E. Kirwan, solicitor, for Mr. Killoran.

Michael Foylan, farm labourer, Clondoogan, Co. Meath, is to receive an *ex gratia* payment of £150 and a sum for costs, without any admission of liability, for injuries received when, he alleged, he was struck near Summerhill on February 9, 1940, by a motor car the property of William Padian, a bookmaker, of Gordrummon, Scramogue, Strokestown.

Mr P. F. O'Reilly was solicitor for Mr. Foylan, and Mr. Sean Ryan (Messrs. James O'Connor and Co.) appeared for Mr. Padian.

William Lindsay, North Great George's street, Dublin, a sub-foreman compositor, is to receive £100 and a sum for costs for injuries suffered on June 16 last, when he was knocked down on the roadway near Coolock, Co. Dublin, by a motor car owned by Michael Martin, civil servant, of 68 Cabra Drive, Dublin.

Messrs. Lehane and Hogan were solicitors for Mr. Lindsay, and Mr. Sean Ryan (Messrs. James O'Connor and Co.) appeared for Mr. Martin.

Mrs. Elizabeth Phelan, Sefton, Poddle Park, Kimmage, is to receive an *ex gratia* payment of £50 and a sum for costs, without admission of liability, for injuries suffered when she fell on the floor of the premises of Messrs. J. J. Roche and Co., Ltd., 50 Lower O'Connell street, Dublin, on April 30 last.

Mr. P. D. O'Grady was solicitor for Mrs. Phelan, and Mr. Sean Ryan (Messrs. James O'Connor and Co.) appeared for Messrs. Roche.

DUBLIN DISTRICT COURT

GUARD'S STORY OF AN ATTACK

(BEFORE DISTRICT JUSTICE McCANN.)

James Burke (28), George's place; James J. Burke (18), Lower Gardiner street, and John K. Brown (20), Avondale House, Cumberland street, were remanded in custody until Tuesday on charges of being members of a riotous and disorderly crowd, obstructing Civic Guard Patrick Mayock in the execution of his duty, assaulting the Guard and causing him grievous bodily harm.

James Burke was also charged with rescuing James J. Burke from the Guard's custody.

Guard Mayock said that on February 5 he heard the three men using profane language outside a fish and chip shop. When he told them to go away Brown "sparred out to fight." The Guard said that he was struck by James J. Burke with a knuckle-duster on the face. He caught Burke, and the other two attacked him and he had to let Burke go. His right eye was closed in the struggle. The three men ran into Marlborough street and he followed. Each of the men drew a knife and James Burke came at him. The witness struck him with his baton on the arm and Burke dashed into a crowd of about 200. None of them helped the witness.

When the witness was in the act of catching Brown he was tripped by James Burke. While he was on the ground the three men kicked him and broke his thumb in trying to get his baton from him. When he got to his feet Brown came at him with a knife and James Burke tried to kick him

INSURANCE CARDS CASE

(BEFORE DISTRICT JUSTICE LENNON.)

Jacob Siroco, Great Strand street, was fined £47 for failing to stamp insurance cards of a number of his employés.

NEW MacLIAMMOIR PLAY

On Monday night the Gaiety Theatre will house one of the most distinguished audiences ever assembled in Dublin, when members of the Diplomatic Corps, Ministers and others socially prominent gather for the first performance of a new play by Micheal MacLiammoir, "Dancing Shadow."

Mr. MacLiammoir's "Where Stars Walk" will be remembered as one of the most memorable productions of last year, and in "Dancing Shadow" he surpasses even his own high standard. In this new play he leaves the land of Celtic mythology for the story of the Conlan family and the shadow of an Andalusian dancer

The first act takes place in Dublin, 1917, where the family have just arrived and are opening theatrical "digs" Into the digs come the Le Granges, a Cockney mind-reading act, who quickly become part of the family. The second and third acts take place in 1939 and 1940, and find everyone twenty years older. It is an extraordinary play, with an amazing variety of texture.

Besides his rôle as author, Micheal MacLiammoir also designed the sets, and plays the part of Larry, the son. Others in the cast include Peggy Cummins as Tina the child, and Meriel Moore as Tina grown up; Christine Hayden as the mother, Hilton Edwards and Coralie Carmichael as the Le Granges, May Carey as the Spanish grandmother, Liam Gaffney as the father, Roy Irving as Tommy Reardon, and Sally Travers as the maid.

ROYAL HOSPITAL FOR INCURABLES.

A meeting of the Committee of Management was held at the Royal Hospital for Incurables, Donnybrook, on Thursday morning, 13th inst., at 9.30 o'clock.

On the proposal of Mr. A. G. Hollinshead (Hon. Treasurer), the chair was taken by Mr. Patrick Lynch, K.C.

Also present:—Sir Walter H. Boyd, Bart., K.C.; Messrs. William Brown, Rupert McC. Dillon, Edwin N. Edwards W. H. Fry, John F. McGuire, David W. Mitchell, William Nesbitt, Arthur H. S. Orpen, Robert J. Rowlette, F.R.C.P.I.; Raymond Stephenson, Joseph Walker, L.D.S.I.

The proceedings of the last meeting of the Committee were read confirmed and signed. Apologies were received from:—Sir Joseph A. Glynn, LL.D.; Major Arthur Whewell, Very Rev. Mons. Molony, P.P., LL.D.; A. T. Collins, J. H. Craig, J. F. Boydell, H. J. Monahan, B.L.

The Committee welcomed Mr. William Nesbitt on his first attendance as a member of the Executive Committee

The appointment of a Chairman and Vice-Chairman was the next business proceeded with, the bye-laws of the hospital providing that they be elected in the month of February each year.

On the proposal of Mr. Orpen, seconded by Mr. Hollinshead, it was unanimously resolved:—"That Sir Walter H. Boyd, Bart., K.C., be re-elected Chairman for the year 1941-42."

On the proposal of Mr. Fry, seconded by Mr. Stephenson, it was unanimously resolved:—"That Mr. Arthur H. S. Orpen be re-elected Vice-Chairman for the year 1941-42"

Sir Walter thereupon took the chair, and, on behalf of Mr. Orpen and himself, thanked the members present for their re-election to these important offices

It was proposed by Mr. Edwards, seconded by Mr. Lynch, K.C., and unanimously resolved:—"That the following be appointed to constitute the Finance Committee for the year 1941-42—The Chairman, Vice-Chairman, Hon. Treasurer, Messrs. Timothy Bradford William Brown, W. H. Fry, Frank A. Lowe P.C.; John F. McGuire, David W. Mitchell, Major Arthur Whewell.

The proceedings of the Visiting and Finance Committees were read, confirmed and signed. On the recommendation of the Finance Committee cheques amounting to £631 0/3 were signed in settlement of monthly accounts, leaving the large sum of

£9,984 12/9 DUE TO THE BANK.

The Report Books of the Lady Superintendent were read and approved of. Patients in the Hospital this day:—243, viz., 100 males, 143 females

The Committee tender their grateful thanks for the following kind contributions received since last meeting:—£5 5/0—Hon. A. E. Guinness. £5—Capt. Denis W. Daly. £4—"J. N. G." £3 3/0—A. H. Walkey, Esq. £2 2/0—Arthur G. Riggs, Esq. £2 each—Mrs. F. Longworth-Dames, Miss K. S. Stein, Miss M. A. Stein. £1 1/0 each—R. J. Rowlette, Esq., F.R.C.P.I.; J. B. Stephens, Esq.; Victor G. L. Drought, Esq.; Messrs. Carton Bros., H. J. Millar, Esq.; Miss Eva Murphy, Hon. K. Lawless, Mr and Mrs. W. St. L. Evans, Rev. Arthur H. McCombe. £1 each—Miss H. Vernon, Miss B. King-Harman, Miss E. S. Hone, George L. Healy, Esq.; Miss L. Smith, Miss Helen Jacob, Mrs. M. S. James 10/- each—Miss Jennings, A Grateful Patient, R. J. Jackson, Esq.; M. W. J. Fry, Esq., S.F.T.C.D.

The Lady Superintendent acknowledges with many thanks the following kind gifts:—Calendars—Sligo Girl Guides; Library Books—Mrs. Denis Pringle; Concerts—Mr. Ralph Sylvester, Irish Shell Co., Ltd.; Medical Applicances—Miss Dodd; Papers, Magazines, etc.—Miss Sibthorpe; Mrs. Denis Pringle, Dr. Dorothy Dockrell, William Hogg, Esq.; Miss Falkner, Miss Downs, Miss Haire. Daily Papers—Mrs. Arthur H. S. Orpen, Mrs. J. E. Tomlinson, Miss Redington Roche, Miss Jacob, Irish Independent, Ltd.; Irish Times, Ltd.; Irish Press, Daily Sketch, Anon., Evening Mail, Christian Science Monitor, News Review.

Further contributions are earnestly solicited to reduce the heavy bank debt, and will be gratefully received by:—Sir Walter H. Boyd, Bart., K.C. (Chairman), Balnagowan, Palmerston Park, Dublin; Arthur H. S. Orpen, Esq. (Vice-Chairman), Brooklawn, Stradbrook, Blackrock, Co. Dublin; Alfred G. Hollinshead, Esq. (Hon. Treasurer), The Haven, Palmerston Gardens, Dublin, or by the Registrar at the Hospital.

LEMONS FOR MARMALADE

In the absence of Sevilles, the public have taken quite kindly, almost enthusiastically, to the suggestion of a prominent firm of fruit merchants that they should turn to lemon marmalade as a useful alternative. Not only have orders poured in for these from all over Eire, but that many customers, after making a trial lot, have sent substantial repeat orders. This firm has just received a very large shipment of choice lemons direct from California, and this affords a splendid opportunity for filling the larder with a very pleasing preserve at a reasonable price.

BOOKS OF THE WEEK

London in the Blitzkrieg

"Business As Usual"

Bomber's Moon. By Negley Farson. With drawings by Tom Purvis. London: Gollancz. 8/6 net.

"BUSINESS AS USUAL." That is the whole theme of "Bomber's Moon." The book is a record in line and word of how London is carrying on in spite of the terrific air bombardment. Negley Farson and Tom Purvis take us with them all over London and show us "the sights"—sights so different in war-time and peace-time! Life in the underground shelters, in the tube stations, in the crypt of St. Martin's in-the-Field, Billingsgate—all are dealt with in turn and in Mr. Farson's brilliant style.

The drawings by Tom Purvis are almost as important as the matter; for they give a picture, clearer than any words could give, of the havoc wrought by the German bombs. At the same time many of them, like the illustration reproduced in this page, show also the unconquerable attitude of so many of the owners of bombed shops and houses.

Mr. Farson discussed this matter of the Englishman's instinctive courage with a neutral diplomat, who said:—

> I can explain to you the Englishman's immunity to hysteria or even mass sensations. England is a country which knows no great heat and no great cold; there are no extremes of climate. It is a country without hurricanes, cyclones, great droughts, floods or earthquakes. In England there are few newspaper boys who expect to become bank presidents and few bank presidents who expect to drop. No one expects any great change either from climate or from life. Nothing much happens in England . . . or to England. Not yet. Expectations have always been normal. The English have always lived a life in which they could make assumptions which bore some relation to the eventual facts. That accounts for the Englishman's traditional freedom from "nerves."

Fish and the War

There is a grand chapter devoted to a study of night life in St. Martin's-in-the-Fields and the padre, the late Pat McCormack, who walked among the shelterers and laughed with them and helped them to see the funny side of it all.

Another grand chapter is given to a study of the fish market at Billingsgate, and sundry conversations with proprietors of "Wet-Dried-and-Fried" shops—that is to say, shops where you could get fish to cook at home, fish ready to eat (probably wrapped up in a newspaper), or where you could eat your fried fish on the spot.

A large amount of the book is concerned with life in the tube stations—as any book about this period of London's history must be—and it is pleasant to find that Mr. Farson does not paint too prettily-coloured a picture of this branch of night life. In an excellent chapter on Aldwych Tube Station he gives a great many enlightening facts about conditions in the shelters, and the dissatisfaction of the people, not with the conduct of the war, but with the Government red tape necessary before any of the shelter improvements could be put into practice.

As a contrast to this, South Kensington Tube shelter was, to put it in Mr. Farson's own words, "a home from home."

The rest of the book is filled with little tales and anecdotes of the funny side of the bombardment, as well as with little touches of the darker side. It is a book that is worth reading, and worth keeping. When the war is over, people will not believe how they behaved during the *Blitzkrieg*. This book will remind them.

AFTER AN AIR-RAID
(From a drawing by Tom Purvis).
ONE OF THE ILLUSTRATIONS FROM "BOMBER'S MOON," WHICH IS REVIEWED IN THIS PAGE.

The Autobiography of Matheson Lang

A Tapestry of Famous Personalities

Mr. Wu Looks Back. By Matheson Lang. London: Paul. 15/- net.

A SHORT while ago we published a review of Julia Neilson's autobiography. There is a great deal in common with that book and the present one, which, to a large extent, covers the same ground. It is a pity that both of these books should appear within so short a space of time, but, then, those who are interested in the stage will not hesitate to read both, and those who are not interested in it would hardly bother to read either of them.

Mr. Lang was brought up in the Highlands of Inverness, and the first chapter is devoted to the period of life spent there and in Cromarty, where he used to pass his summer holidays. In this part of the book there occurs the delightful account of how he first became an actor, or rather how he first decided to become an actor. One night he went with his brother to see the Benson Company in "Romeo and Juliet." The next morning, before breakfast, they insisted on acting some of the scenes with great vigour. This performance caused a considerable uproar, and he was asked by the rest of the family for an explanation. "It means," he replied, "that I am going to be an actor." And so he was; an actor of no mean ability.

The rest of the book, chapter by chapter, page by page, tells the story of his upward path, from a University Dramatic Society, *via* Louis Calvert's Company, the Benson Company, Mrs. Langtry's Company, and several others to fame and stardom.

By no means the least interesting feature of the book is the account of the foreign tours. Mr. Matheson Lang always will be remembered as "Mr. Wu"; and the book gives a whole chapter to this production. There is a photograph included of the actor in the *rôle* of Mr. Wu, showing his wonderful make-up. There are many more photographs in the book. Too many, if anything; one gets tired of looking at a selection of pictures all showing one man in different coloured grease-paint and in different costumes, but the same characteristic—and somewhat pompous—poses.

Still there is much to make up for this slight fault; a fault which, indeed, would be regarded by many as a virtue. The autobiography, as a whole, is charming and entertaining. It is full of amusing little anecdotes and stories about some famous people connected with the stage. As the "blurb" wisely points out, it is, indeed, a tapestry of famous personalities and immortal plays.

The War on the High Seas

A Guide to Naval Strategy

Modern Naval Strategy. By Admiral Sir Reginald Bacon and Francis E. McMurtrie. London: Frederick Muller. 8/6 net.

THE present war has rendered obsolete many of the books on naval strategy that were written before the period of the long-distance or dive-bombers as craft operating against ships. This work of Sir Reginald Bacon and Mr. McMurtrie is so up-to-dato that it contains comments upon other naval books written even since the present war started. It is intended as a short, clear and comprehensive guide for the layman.

It is brightly written, and it deals with the subjects that are in the mind of the general public just now—convoys, air attack, amphibious warfare, the problems of the Mediterranean and the Pacific.

The views of the authors upon air attack are very comforting. Owing to the lack of vertical downward velocity, a bomb dropped from an aircraft at 10,000 feet will travel onwards for a mile and a half before reaching the ground, and, they point out, an aeroplane crossing a ship at 250 m.p.h. is over its target for less than half a second. The dive-bomber, on the other hand, has a longer time to aim, and he can place his bombs more accurately, particularly on a stationary ship. Of course, it is easier for the anti-aircraft guns to hit a dive-bomber, and that may explain the substantial losses suffered by the German forces in Sicily when they first attacked Malta.

On the subject of night bombing the authors ask whether it is wise for the British to concentrate on a means to overcome the dangers of the nocturnal visitors. Night bombing, they say, is far more valuable to Britain than to the Axis Powers, or to Russia. They write of the industrial targets that can be attacked by British night bombers; but has Britain not similar targets that may be attacked by her enemies?

One of the best chapters in the book is that on the psychology of strategy. The inspiration to the Navy in such gallant actions as those of the Rawalpindi and the Jervis Bay, or of the attack by the destroyers at Narvik, is mentioned, and a contrast is drawn between the *moral* of men who are kept in action and of those who stick to harbours. There have been examples of the psychological difference between at least two navies in recent months.

The Life of Henry Longhurst

Golf and Journalism

It Was Good While It Lasted. By Henry Longhurst. London: Dent. 15/- net.

HENRY LONGHURST believes that he "struck lucky" when he started to write for the *Evening Standard* about golf. "It was a life," he writes, "which took me, first class, at someone else's expense, throughout each spring and summer to some of the loveliest parts of England, Scotland, Ireland and Wales, to say nothing of twenty odd visits to the continent and a couple to the United States, and brought me into contact all through the year with a succession of new and interesting people in pretty well every walk of life." He was well paid for it, too—somewhere between £2,000 and £3,000 a year apparently.

This book of Longhurst's is not about golf, nor about journalism, but there is a great deal about both those subjects between its covers. It is about his own experiences and the people he met, and, as much of that experience and many of those meetings were in his capacity as a golfer or a journalist, it would, presumably, have been difficult for him to write any other sort of personal book. Let it be said that it is entertaining and quotable. It is a book which the majority of readers will want to talk about.

Mr Longhurst's portraits of golfers, like Henry Cotton and Walter Hagen, are enjoyably informative. Cotton wore Saville row clothes and silk monogrammed shirts. He drove a large motor car, which he had a tendency to park opposite signs saying "No parking." And, "what displeased his rivals more than anything, he made a tremendous amount of money."

Hagen was the only man who could stay up till three in the morning playing bridge, smoking cigars, and stoking up with whiskey and go out and win a championship in the morning. "Others tried, and great was their downfall." With all his candour, Mr. Longhurst is defensive rather than offensive about his subjects.

Two Irish Golfers

Two Irish golfers, Cecil Ewing and James Bruen, come into the story, and Bruen, he says, "may yet become the world's greatest golfer." Killarney also comes into the story, for the author stayed there as a guest of Viscount Castlerosse. He went deer-stalking, and he was at the birth of the golf course laid out beside the Lakes. "Do you think we could make a golf course here?" asked Castlerosse. "We could make the loveliest golf course in the whole world," replied Longhurst. Then they wired for Sir Guy Campbell, the golf architect.

There are nearly forty chapters, and they deal with subjects of such diversity as the Cresta Run and ski-ing, strip tease acts in the United States; Father Coghlin, the radio priest; the Dartmoor Prison mutiny; Beaverbrook's hatred of the old school tie, and of Eton in particular; the "guying" of the play, "Young England," and the charm of *The Times's* Golfing Correspondent. A remarkable thing is that Mr. Longhurst contrives to cram into his book a great deal of information about every part of the passing show that touched him, and his style and freshness make it all extraordinarily interesting. There are many illustrations.

A Humorous Miscellany

Laughter Parade. Edited by Anthony Armstrong. London: Faber and Faber. 8/6 net.

THERE is so much to depress one at the present moment that few people feel like reading so-called "heavy" books. As a result of this there has been a large number of humorous books published. The latest—and undoubtedly the best—of these books is "Laughter Parade."

It is a selection of Mr. Anthony Armstrong's ideas of what is funny. And that should be a good enough recommendation for it. If you want further recommendation—there are articles in it by Jerome K. Jerome, Stephen Leacock, P. G. Wodehouse, A. P. Herbert, W. W. Jacobs and Anthony Armstrong himself. And there are hundreds of others, but there is no room to mention the half of them.

The subject matter is as varied as are the writers—shaving, boxing, sermons, wives (of course), cricket, tourists and the waltz.

A grand book to open now and then when you're feeling depressed.

The Autobiography of a Professional Soldier

Evening Tattoo. By Brigadier-General A. F. U. Green, C.M.G., D.S.O. London: Stanley Paul. 15/-.

BRIGADIER-GENERAL GREEN is a professional soldier, who rose from the position of a cadet at Woolwich in 1896 to become the youngest brigadier-general in the British Army during the Great War. He is now a private in the Home Guard.

His autobiography, which is a mixture of political and military theorising, reminiscence and mess-room humour, is as uneven as his career has been.

For most of his life he was connected with the administrative side of the Army, and his account of the problems that faced a supply officer during 1914-1918 will be of more interest to the serving officer than to the layman.

Unfortunately, Brigadier-General Green, though he may have been an efficient officer, is a muddled writer, and seems to be unable to distinguish the trivial from the vitally important. We are not at all interested in the score that old Jumbo So-and-so made at cricket in Gibraltar in the year such-and-such, but we do want to hear more about his experiences as a courtmartial officer, or what kind of man was Foch, or why the Portuguese Army collapsed in the spring of 1918, or the inner story of the Armistice Commission to Spa in 1918-1919.

And all too often the humour is of the chestnut variety. Army jokes can be as good as any other kind—but not if they arrived in Britain with Julius Cæsar.

The Ghost

An Early-morning Reverie

THERE was an eerie stillness as I wended my way along Patrick street. Bright moonlight on a powdering of frost gave to the old Liberty an appearance of a fairy city. I was tired and meditative—tired by nocturnal toil and meditating about a metaphorical rattling of dry bones at a meeting of the Old Dublin Society.

As I skirted the western railing of the Cathedral a distant clock chimed. It was a quarter to two. Somewhere to my left were Marsh's Library and the site of an ancient deanery; and nearby, too, were the Cabbage Garden and Naboth's Vineyard.

Was it really worth while (I asked myself) bothering about details in the private life of a great man who is dead these two hundred years, or about new theories of an old story? After all, there is plenty of work to keep my mind busy.

Still striving to arouse myself from reverie, I had turned into the Close, and was approaching the Deanery gateway, when, without any warning, I was overcome by an etxremely discomfiting ailment. A vertigo seized me, and I had a strange sensation of deafness. Then, I believe, I faded out for a while, and when I came to myself all my surroundings had become darkened; but this darkness (I remarked, hopefully) might not have been a physical or mental symptom, but merely a clouding of the moon.

I was still dizzy, and sinking inwardly, when from somewhere in the gloom a low, sad voice muttered: "Ménière, Ménière."

I looked around, startled, and in the dim light reflected from a half-blacked-out electric bulb I saw the shade of an elderly gentleman clad in clerical garb. He was frail-looking, but, despite his years, he had the alert, upright stature which distinguishes the physical training enthusiast. Even in my distress I was curious enough to wonder who he might be, this benighted cleric, who, I assumed, had come through the deanery gate.

"Ménière," I repeated. "Is that your name, sir?"

"No, no," he replied. "'Tis that is your complaint. Do not fear it. I myself suffered it during nigh on fifty years, but neither Arbuthnot nor Dun, nor any of the medicos at Griselda Steevens's Hospital, knew it by that name; and I had not the genius to invent it. I am suffering from a mild fit of it now. You rest awhile."

I had a vague impression that I knew something about this chance-met wayfarer whose moral support was encouraging me to shake off my *ménèrie*, as he termed it. There was something familiar about the set of his shoulders and the saucy, bird-like poise of his head. But, why the quaint, square-toed shoes? Why the wig? So early in the morning, in St. Patrick's Close! The absurdity set me aghast. I stared at him, astonished. And then, slowly it dawned upon me that (delirium or no delirium) there was a figure out of a Bindon painting. I was afraid, although there was nothing about him to arouse fear. He looked a companionable spirit. Yet, one never knows. . . It might be a safe bet (I thought) to felicitate him by taking up his line of conversation.

"So you, too, are ill, sir? You ought to rest awhile." I gestured toward the Cathedral. "Go in and rest."

At that his manner changed completely, and he answered in the halting voice of one suddenly burdened with a weight of sorrow: "I cannot rest. Men will not let me rest."

"I understand," I sympathised. "They never hold their tongue. . ."

"'Let them dabble in the dung,'" he completed the quotation. "I wrote that about politicians, and it fits factitious scribblers and other men with inquisitive minds. Let them search my works for fun, and there they may find wisdom; or prattle about me and my compatriots, to make more fun. Those are but worldly diversions, and they matter not to me; but persistence in raising doubts about intimate, sacred matters is an abomination to the spirit."

"Who are they?" I asked. "Who disturb your rest?"

"Groups of men and women—they are many. Wilde published the story that I and Stella were brother and sister, and to-night her namesake told an assembly that we were uncle and niece. The thought of it should distort their faces for shame."

"It should," I agreed. "But now it is said that recently some interesting documents were found in Dublin.

"What can they be, these documents which for so long have lain unnoticed?"

"Something about Abegail Errick."

"Or Eric, or Erric, or Erricke, or Herric, or Herricke, or Heyric. The branches of the family adopted almost every conceivable derivative—saving Hayrick and Esrache." The little word-play on the nomenclature brought a momentary gleam of merriment to his features. "But," he went on, "Abegail was the Herrick mentioned, I believe, in the will of Anne Herricke, who died at Wigston Magna in 1652. There was nothing at all mysterious about Abegail coming to Dublin."

"She came with Jonathan Swift," I prompted.

"Yes, with my father. They were honest man and wife, and of honourable families. They had poetry on both sides, you must know—Dryden and, I maintain, Herrick."

"Some people say," I ventured, "that every advantage you and your family had was attributable to the beneficence of the Temple family."

"People say! Advantages! From the Temples!" He was not violently angry, but appeared to become charged with compressed scorn. "All I had from the Temples was some years of degrading servitude at Moor Park—Hester and the library only made it tolerable. There I had to do 'everything a cruel master could require from a slave employed for daily hire.' Probably you know the lines"

I assured him I had read the poem; then I asked:

"What advantages had your father and your uncle?"

"Neither of them had any advantages from the Temples. My uncle, Godwin, was a capable lawyer, whose abilities were recognised by an Ormonde, who had him appointed Attorney-General of the Palatine of Tipperary. He did very well for himself in Ireland; so my father and two other brothers decided to come over and try their fortunes here. They lived in an adventurous age. It was Godwin—not a Temple—who had my father employed as a deputy to the Steward of the King's Inns, and afterwards my father's diligence was rewarded with the stewardship. That office was not a sinecure. Many of the Benchers were tardy in the settlement of their accounts, and, as the world knows, his wife was left dependent on Godwin."

"Godwin, I have read, was a kindly man."

"He was. He took my mother into his home, and there I was born. And he it was who made himself responsible for my education. (I remember that once I retorted that he 'gave me the education of a dog'; but then I was ill and angry; afterwards I was sorry.)"

I thought the wraith was about to be overcome by his melancholy, but he went on wistfully: "The story is a simple, straightforward one, about which the facts are known. Yet, even after two hundred years men will peep and pry and, as my godson's boy has it, seek to create proof when innuendo fails. The time was when I could raise my voice and wield a pen to flout these devils of publicists; but now there is none to keep them quiet—and I cannot rest."

Suddenly he challenged me: "Are you, too, a publicist?"

Apologetically, abashed, I made the admission: "In a very modest way, sir, I am."

"There may be salvation in modesty, or mediocrity (he soliloquised); for the remembrance of the publicist who achieves greatness may be besmirched and his mortal remains desecrated—as mine were—by men who come after him."

"Do you mean me, sir?"

"Yes, you. If you become great you will not be judged by your works alone. Do (he entreated) take a lesson from me. Your bones may be disinterred and handed around in the salons of Dublin, or stolen and taken to America; the honesty of your forebears may be doubted, and your parents called out of their names—although their associations be of no useful interest; the cause of the indisposition from which now you are suffering may two centuries hence be diagnosed as social disease, excessive drinking, over-eating, lunacy, sexual indulgence, or unrequited love . . ."

"But," I interrupted him, "to what purpose? Who would benefit by it?"

"Nobody would benefit by it, but the savants and the *dilettanti* would be satisfying their curiosity. Your every written word may be misconstrued to support vile theories about your mental state and processes and your actions and reactions."

"Probably," I agreed, "although, after all, they hardly can psycho-analyse a ghost."

Instantly I was sorry I said that. It startled him; but he raised an indulgent smile. "That is another newfangled term—old Doctor Whalley would not have understood it; but you have spoken a truth. They can not psycho-analyse a ghost. . ."

He vanished.

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The moon still shone brightly as I turned into St. Stephen's Green. Somewhere a clock struck two; and I was wondering if it was really worth while bothering about details in the life of a great man who is dead these two hundred years.

J. R. H.

Authorities:—"Swift's Deafness; And His Last Illness," by T. G. Wilson, M.B., F.R.C.S.I.; "The Life of Jonathan Swift," by Craik; "The History of The King's Inns" (pp. 216-218), by Duhigg; "Essay on the Life, Character and Writings of Dr. Jonathan Swift," by Dean Swift; The will of Anne Herricke, in pp. 66 of *Miscellanea Genealogica et Heraldica* (vol. 1 of the second series, 1886); Dean Bernard's essay in "The Prose Works of Jonathan Swift, D.D.," by Temple Scott.

The Collapse of France

No Mere Military Defeat

Farewell France. By Oscar Paul. London: Gollancz. 6/- net.

IT will be a many a year before the complete story of the fall of France can well be written or even attempted. In all history there are few parallels to the sudden and overwhelming disaster which brought a great Power to her knees in so incredibly short a time. And, more important still, what should never be forgotten are the facts that only one out of France's four great armies ever went in battle, that three consequently never saw defeat, and that the seemingly impregnable Maginot line might, indeed, have been impregnable, had not its defenders been ordered by their own officers to surrender or withdraw. No less than 3,000,000 soldiers, at a modest estimate, never entered battle at all; the army on the Italian front barely made contact with the enemy.

National Unity

Modern warfare is based on more than mere military strategy. There is a diplomatic and political strategy which of recent years has become of major importance. France suffered no mere military defeat; her national confidence had been undermined, and the national unity, essential to the prosecution of any major war, was conspicuous by its absence.

The author of this penetrating analysis is an Austrian journalist who was forced to seek refuge in France after the collapse of the Dollfuss *régime*. A Social Democrat and a close friend of M. Leon Blum, he remained in France even after the armistice, and he is, consequently, acutely aware of all the cross-currents of French life and thought at the time of her darkest despair.

He writes interestingly and well, with a sufficient knowledge of the background of French history and a considerable acquaintance with present tendencies. His book embodies high praise of certain French social classes and severe condemnation of others.

It discusses in some detail the political history and background of the leading lights in the Vichy Administration, and provides us with considerable detail on the necessity for national unity against the dangers of external aggression. Many lessons for the politicians and democrats of every country—not excluding our own—are to be found in "Farewell France."

Some New Books in Irish

Fairy Tales, the Gaeltacth and "Eire"

Eachtra an Phortain agus Scealta eile. Micheal O Cionnfhaolaidh. Dublin: An Gum. 1/6 net.

Caidhpin Dearg; An Greassaidhe agus na Slabhraí; Snuadh-bhan agus Caordhearg; Luidin O Luraidhe. Dublin: Fallons, Ltd. 3d. each net.

MICHEUL O CIONNFHAOLAIDH gives our juvenile friends a very readable collection of adventures, grave and gay, which are met by a venturesome youth on his setting out "into the world." Most of our hero's embarrassments befall him while fishing or farming along the Southern seaboard, and the many strange occurrences recounted should absorb the interest of the youthful reader. The Irish is simple and Southern; the illustrations are of particular eloquence, and the sturdy binding of the book will tide it over much knocking about.

To those of more tender age Messrs. Fallons's illustrated translations from Grimm are bound to appeal, and at the price of threepence each are really outstanding value. The print is large and clear, and in the four booklets Little Red Riding Hood, Hop o' my Thumb, Snow-white, the Golden Goose, the Dancing Slippers and many other perennial favourites once more appear to delight the imagination.

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Mam as mo Mhala; Sean Mhac Meanman. Dublin: An Gum. 2/- net.

IN his five-line preface the author describes "Mám as mo Mhála" as written to depict, to the minds of those who are too young to remember it, the old-time life of his own Irish-speaking countryside. His book well justifies his apologia One feels the book is genuine; it chronicles the passing of a civilisation which the author knew; it breathes from every page the aura of the Tirconnell Gaeltacht of a generation ago.

Whether Mr. Mhac Meanman is picturing the vivid shanachie at the nightly *'airneáil*, or whether he himself turns shanachie to relate some tale, always the unfolding of his tale discloses a dozen "angles" of the Gaelic way of life.

The characters are notably well delineated, and the style and language are well in line with Mr. Mhac Meanman's best efforts. The richness of the Donegal idiom, of course, offers inevitable drawbacks to the average reader, and the author's way out may not be the happiest: one is somewhat taken aback to find a vocabulary appended to what is, after all, a work of fiction.

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Eire—Bliainiris Gaedheal. Edited by Ciaran O Nuallain. Dublin: Cahill. 2/6 net.

THE 1940 "Eire," as the editor points out, gives the lie to those who prophesied that an Irish journal of high cultural aspirations could not run to a second number. The aim of the publication—to incorporate annually the choicest work of living Irish writers—is once more accomplished, and another invaluable issue of "Eire" is now presented.

Throughout, the highest level of literature is maintained, and Ciarán O Nualláin can in no way be said to have departed from the high standards set last year by Riobárd O Faracháin.

Among the many fine contributions are two engrossing short stories and two thoughtful philosophical essays: Tomás Bairéad, in his "Choice of Two Escapes," builds with great technical skill a moving drama around the sordid life of a slum girl, and Ciarán O Nualláin excels in his treatment of the similarly depressing subject of a soliloquising suicide—"The Land of Sleep."

Pádhraic O Domhnalláin's "Head Without Wisdom" brings an inquiring mind to bear on the old adage, "Where ignorance is bliss 'tis folly to be wise," and shows that true wisdom is the wisdom of knowing oneself, the wisdom which directs the individual honourably, happily and peaceably through life. Canon Mac Ghiolla Cheara writes a thought-inspiring examination of "What's Wrong With the World," considering civilisation in general, psychology, the consolation of death, and man's part in the Divine Plan. An interesting story of Cloghaneely and Gweedore, in the tradition which he has already handled so well, is written by Máire, who thus returns after a long period of silence, and Brian O Nualláin brings out his biting, elfin humour in "The Poor Mouth"; as usual, there is more than a little cynical truth behind his façade of comedy.

Ciarán O Nualláin's second contribution—"The Detective Novel"—is a controversial and exceedingly well-written essay on the vogue of the detective story, in which he criticises the reluctance of Irish writers in general to adopt it as a form of literature. A very amusing satire on uninvited counsellors is written by Caoimhgín O Nualláin; and Séamus O Néill has translated for us a readable story of the vine-growing district of Provence.

On the serious side there is a masterly treatment of the life of Peadar O Doirnín by Domhnall Mac Grianna; and other scholarly articles are written by Sorcha Ní Ghuairim on traditional music, by Earnán de Blaghd on the drift to the cities, and by Father Pádraig de Brun on the development of poetry. It is a pity that the only piece of poetry in this volume is one solitary poem by An Suibhneach Meann, who treats "unpoetical" subjects so well; but next year's issue, perhaps, will see the muse more extensively represented.

Altogether, the 1941 "Eire" is a wonderful half-crown's worth, and truly described as "*Le trésor gaélique de l'année.*"

POEM

By G. M. BRADY.

FEELING between shadows, your light
Has lamped so many eyes,
So many eyes
Dulled by the gray of grief.
Thrusting across silences, your voice
Inhabited the heedless desert
Where their cries
Had drowned in wells of sand.
Touching the abject shoulder,
Easing the restless sleeper,
You have set the flourish
Of your hand
Upon the bones of fear.
You, sinewed and powerful with love,
Have moved away the stone blocking the crypt.

Tales of Rural India

The Red Tortoise, and other stories. Told by N. Gangulee. London: The India Society. 3/6 net.

AS the net profits of this publication will be given to the Red Cross, Irish readers will not regard the price as too high for such a slender volume. It contains about a dozen tales related by an old Indian story-teller named Baba Trinco, or "Father" Trigunananda, who was very popular with the children of a pretty village in the delta o fthe Ganges. His stories are simple, like children's fairy tales, but they contain an element of humour, or point some moral, which makes them acceptable to adults who are not very sophisticated.

There is, for example, the story of Gauba's trip to Paradise hanging to the tail of the white elephant. Unfortunately, Gauba's talkative wife and his pet monkey had to come, too, and then the wife's relations and the village people attached themselves to the party, and with a long string of human beings clinging to his tail the elephant started. Gauba's wife could not stop talking and when her exasperated husband took his hands from the elephant's tail to show her how big the water melons in Paradise were the whole string of human beings fell to earth from far above the peaks of the Himalayas. The monkey was cleverer and he got to Paradise.

After the War

The Application of Christianity to Finance

The Rule of Equity. By J. Taylor Peddie. London: Williams and Norgate. 12/6 net.

IT does not seem improbable that one result of this war will be a revision of the world's finances on a completely new basis. To carry on in face of such accumulated debts as will face most nations, is unthinkable. The question is in what direction will the new financial schemes lead the peoples to their betterment. Mr. Taylor Peddie has no doubts as to the way, and he leaves the average reader with few either when this book has been read.

Briefly, Mr. Peddie believes that in the application, the rigid application, of the basic principles of Christianity, lies the panacea for a stabilised and prosperous world. He writes: "The basic principles of the finest economic system conceivable are to be found in the Old Testament, and if these were given a positive shape in the way originally intended, Christianity would be restored to the status originally planned for it." The prime means of realising this is to be through the Rule of Equity, which means that all economic measures are bound together by simple numerical laws, whose adjustments will regulate all problems of supply and demand for the future.

The working out of these laws is explained with an admirable clarity, and, though one may find fault from time to time with the author's interpretations of certain Scriptural texts and his exegetical theories, there is no doubt whatever that, when he is writing of actual finance, he is on solid ground, indeed, and is writing with impressive knowledge and integrity of principle.

PUBLICATIONS RECEIVED

ANTHOLOGIES.

The Rose and the Briar. Compiled by Helen Temperley. London: The Bodley Head. 3/6 net.

BIOGRAPHY AND REMINISCENCES.

From Cabin Boy to Archbishop. By Archbishop Ullathorne. London: Burns, Oates. 15/- net.

Gerald. By Daphne du Maurier. London: Gollancz. 3/6 net.

The Circus Has No Home. By Rupert Croft-Cooke. London: Methuen. 12/6 net.

Pascal. By François Mauriac. London: Cassell. 3/6 net.

Emerson. By Edgar Lee Masters. London: Cassell. 3/6 net.

Jefferson. By John Dewey. London: Cassell. 3/6 net

BOOKS IN IRISH.

San Bernadette Lourdes. By Nioclas Tolbin. Gaelic type. Dublin: The Stationery Office. 2/- net.

Leabhar Aoibhuis do Buachailli is do Ghailiní. By Padraig O Broithe. Gaelic type. Dublin: The Stationery Office. 1/6 net.

FICTION.

The Quentins. By Emmeline Morrison. Hutchinson. 8/6 net.

This Blind Rose. By Elizabeth Frayne. Hodder and Stoughton. 8/3 net.

A Ghost Walks on the Water. By Barbara Laub. London: Methuen. 7/6 net.

A House of Children. By Joyce Cary. Michael Joseph. 8/- net.

Public Ghost Number One. By Andrew Soutar. Hutchinson. 7/6 net.

To-day and Forever. By Pearl S. Buck. London: Macmillan. 8/6 net.

Temperate Zone. By Nancy Johnstone. London: Faber. 7/6 net.

The Spy Who Died. By George Wolfenden. London: Hurst and Blackwell. 8/6 net.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The Problems of Logic. Andrew Paul Ushenko. **The Gallant Little Campeador.** By Cecil Hunt. London: Methuen. 4/- net.

The Principles and Practice of Feeding Farm Animals. By E. T. Haltan and Frank H. Garner. London: Longmans. 15/- net.

Speech Training for the Deaf Child. By Sylvian M. Martin. London: Allen and Unwin. 3/6 net.

Pictorial History of the War. Edited by Walter Hutchinson. London: Hutchinson.

Was Ireland Betrayed to Cromwell? By Kathleen A. Browne. Wexford. 6d. net.

POETRY AND THE DRAMA.

Poems, 1930-1940. By Edmund Blunden. London: Macmillan. 10/6 net.

Burnt Norton. By T. S. Eliot. London: Faber. 1/- net.

POLITICS AND ECONOMICS.

The Truth on the Tragedy of France. By Elie J. Blois. London: Hodder and Stoughton. 7/6 net.

Why France Fell. By André Maurois. London: The Bodley Head. 5/- net.

Employment and Equilibrium. By A. C. Pigon. London: Macmillan. 16/- net.

An Outline of Money. By Geoffrey Crowther. London: Nelson. 10/- net.

The Pure Theory of Capital. By Friedrich A. Havek. London: Macmillan. 21/- net.

The Nineteenth Century and After. February, 1941. London: Constable. 3/- net.

China in Peace and War. By Madame Chiang Kai-shek. London: Hurst and Blackwell. 5/- net.

RELIGION.

Begin Here. By Dorothy C. Sayers. London: Gollancz. 2/6 net.

A Faith to Fight For. By John Strachey. London: Gollancz. 6/- net.

Faith for Living. By Lewis Mumford. London: Secker and Warburg. 7/6 net.

The Gate of Courage. London: Hodder and Stoughton. 1/6 and 2/- net.

The Psychologist Turns to God. By Ashley Sampson. London: Dacre. 6d. net.

Dogma and Youth Work. By G. W. O. Addleshaw. London: Dacre. 6d net.

The Tragedy of France and the Testing of England. By Lulia de Beausolre. London: Dacre. 6d. net.

Catholic Design for Society. By D. G. Peck. London: Dacre. 1/- net.

The Irish Ecclesiastical Record. February, 1941. Dublin: Browne and Nolan. 2/- net.

Storm in a Village. By Jocelyn Playfair. Hodder and Stoughton. 8/3.

Murder will out. Or love finds a way. Roddy Stane, husky, Gary Cooperish young author, rents a cottage in the village of Somers Hinton and falls in love with Anna, lovely wife of the local squire, Sir Henry Somers-Cole. Sir Henry's brother, Wallace, is found brutally murdered, and both motive and circumstantial evidence point to Stane as the culprit. But he is obviously much too charming a young man to make a likely murderer, and the main interest of the story is in seeing how Anna and Sergeant Derwent, perkiest, shrewdest and brightest boy of the local police, capture the real criminal before Scotland Yard can interfere.

Good of its kind. The clues fit together as neatly as the pieces of a jigsaw puzzle, but, as for there being a "Storm in the Village," we noticed nothing but the gentlest of zephyrs. There is an excellent cover design by Norton Sale.

The Church of England Year Book

The Official Year-Book of the Church of England, 1941. London: Church Assembly and Society for Promoting Christian Knowledge. 7/6 net.

THE statistics made available in the 1941 issue of the "Blue Book of the Church of England" show the results of four months of war in the latter part of 1939, and part of the result of pre-war tension immediately preceding that. Decreases in the numbers of Sunday School scholars and ordinations, baptisms, confirmations, and voluntary offerings, are revealed.

Apart from the statistics, the book includes all the usual features—the Constitution of the Church Assembly, the Representation of the Laity Measure, summaries of all the measures which have received the Royal Assent since its establishment, Who's Who in the Church Assembly, the Summary of Legal Information, and full records of Church organisations, both at home and abroad. The large scale map, in two colours, showing the dioceses of England and Wales again is included.

PUBLIC AMUSEMENTS.

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ALSO
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DICK POWELL, ELLEN DREW,
IN
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OTTO KRUGER in "BLACK EYES."

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Department of Industry and Commerce.
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NOTICE OF THE MAKING OF THE MINERALS ACQUISITION (SLIEVEARDAGH COAL FIELD) ORDER, 1941.

Notice is hereby given that the Minister for Industry and Commerce has made a Minerals Acquisition Order dated the 6th day of February, 1941, compulsorily acquiring, by virtue of Section 14 (1) of the Minerals Development Act, 1940, certain minerals consisting of all those mines, veins and seams of coal known as The Slieveardagh Coalfield, and also all other minerals lying on or under certain townlands or parts of town lands in the Barony of Slieveardagh, in the County of Tipperary, specified in the Order. The town lands and parts of townlands specified in the Order and the areas thereof are set out in the Schedule to this Notice.

A map delineating the lands in question is available for inspection in the Offices of the Geological Survey, 14 Hume street, Dublin, between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. on Monday to Friday, and 10 a.m. and 12 p.m. on Saturday.

Copies of the Order may be obtained at the Offices of the Department of Industry and Commerce, Lord Edward street, Dublin.

By Order of the Minister for Industry and Commerce.

R. C. FERGUSON,
Secretary,
Department of Industry and Commerce,
Dublin.

Date: 6th February, 1941.

SCHEDULE.

Description of Lands on or under which are the minerals acquired by the Order.

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Ballykerin	349	0	9	
Ballynastick	779	1	26	
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Bawnlea, part of	35	0	0	or thereabouts.
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Blackcommon (E. D. Kilcooly)	113	1	5	
Bolintlea	1,060	3	29	
Broomhill	51	1	29	
Castlequarter	168	1	2	
Clashduff	462	0	8	
Coalbrook	201	2	0	
Coolquill	362	3	34	
Crohane Lower, part of	600	0	0	or thereabouts.
Curraheenduff	328	0	8	
Earlshill	311	1	35	
Foilacamin, part of	104	0	0	or thereabouts.
Garranacool, part of	140	2	0	or thereabouts.
Garransilly, part of	75	0	0	or thereabouts.
Garrynoe, part of	135	0	0	or thereabouts.
Garrysallagh	101	2	4	
Glengoole South, part of	10	0	0	or thereabouts.
Gortnanassy East	63	0	16	
Gortnanassy West	160	2	1	
Gorteen Upper	220	1	24	
Graigaman, part of	253	0	0	or thereabouts.
Graigue Upper	163	1	23	
Kilbrannel, part of	39	2	0	or thereabouts.
Kilbraugh, part of	235	0	0	or thereabouts.
Killeheen, part of	253	0	32	
Killenaule, part of	34	0	0	or thereabouts.
Kilnahone	376	0	26	
Knockabritta	156	2	34	
Knockalonga	190	3	10	
Knockanattin	118	0	11	
Knockanglass (E. D. Boolick)	147	2	6	
Knockilterra	101	0	12	
Knocknagapple	88	1	33	
Fyleballygalvan, part of	264	0	0	or thereabouts.
Lickfinn	914	2	4	
Lisnamrock	314	1	32	
Mardyke	115	3	5	
Mellisson, part of	6	0	0	or thereabouts.
Monslatt	205	3	25	
Newpark	307	3	31	
Rathroe	134	1	31	
Springfield (E. D. Ballyphilip)	147	1	16	
Tarsna	237	0	1	
Tullequane	106	0	4	
Williamstown, part of	134	0	0	or thereabouts.

Section 17 (1) of the Minerals Development Act, 1940, provides that

"Any person who claims to be entitled under this Part of this Act to compensation for State-acquired minerals acquired by a Minerals Acquisition Order may, at any time within two months, or such longer time (not exceeding altogether twelve months) as the Minister may in any particular case allow, after the publication in the *Iris Oifigiúil* of notice of the making of such Order lodge with the Minister a claim for such compensation."

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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 1941.

Waiting and Watching

Whether by accident or design, the attention of the whole world has been switched during the last few days from Western Europe to the Balkans. Since the idea of the *Nervenkrieg* was invented diplomatic feints have become commonplaces, and belligerent propaganda is at once so efficient and subtle that it is quite impossible to separate the false—or what is even more important, the half-truth—from the truth. Since Christmas everybody has been anticipating a German offensive in the Balkan peninsula. It is admitted generally that there are large numbers of German troops in Rumania, and that the Government of Bulgaria is terrified of an early invasion from the North. Important bridgeheads have been prepared along the Danube, and, although public opinion in Bulgaria—in so far as there is any public opinion outside official circles in that country—is more than anxious to maintain a strict neutrality, it is felt that any attempt to resist a possible German thrust towards either Salonika or Asia Minor would be tantamount to national suicide. If, therefore, the Germans decide to invade Bulgaria, they probably will meet with no serious opposition, always on the assumption, of course, that the Russians remain passive. There is a traditional, almost a mystic, attachment between Bulgaria and Russia; and if the Bolsheviks should advise King Boris to put up a fight against an invasion, a totally new situation would be created. For the moment, however, the Russians are most unlikely to take any active part in Balkan affairs. They will intervene if, and when, they see a favourable opportunity to extend their influence towards the South; in the meanwhile they will bide their time. If Germany should decide to make for Salonika, the goodwill, or at least the immobilisation, of the Yugoslavs will be essential. The Southern Slavs have no love either for the Germans or for the Italians; but, in common with all other small nations, they are forced by circumstances to be realists. The side on which their bread is buttered is the side that they are anxious to take; but they realise that, in present circumstances, guns are more important than butter, and, frankly, they are afraid. For that reason the Yugoslav Prime Minister, Monsieur Tsvetkovitch, and his Foreign Minister, Monsieur Cincar Markovitch, paid a visit yesterday to Herr Hitler at Berchtesgaden. The subject of their conversation with the Fuehrer, which lasted for about three hours, has not been revealed in any detail. We learn that "questions of common interest" were discussed; but the compiler of the official bulletin must have an ironic sense of humour; for he referred to the "traditional friendship" between the Germans and the Yugoslavs. The fact that Prince Paul, the Yugoslav Regent, did not make the trip to Berchtesgaden in person may, or may not, be significant. His personal views do not matter much. What does matter, from Herr Hitler's point of view, is that Germany shall have some guarantee of Yugoslavia's quiescence in the event of a Balkan offensive.

There can be small doubt that, whatever may be Herr Hitler's plans for his spring offensive, they have been in preparation for a long time. The German military machine does not improvise; in this fact lie at once its strength and its weakness. In 1914, when Russia's sudden invasion of East Prussia caused a certain amount of alarm at von Moltke's headquarters, with the result that certain divisions were withdrawn from Belgium, Germany already lost the war simply because her magnificently conceived Schlieffen Plan was thrown slightly out of gear. Is it possible that some such confusion of military ideas is influencing the present situation in South-Eastern Europe? When France collapsed last June, and Italy entered the war, no member of the "Axis" Powers' High Commands could have anticipated what has been happening in Albania and North Africa since the beginning of December. Marshal Graziani's army in Libya has been put almost out of action. Italy's position in East Africa—in Eritrea, in Abyssinia, and in Somaliland—has been threatened; the *Regia Aeronautica* has almost disappeared from the African skies, and the Italian Navy has been unable to obtain mastery of the Mediterranean. In Albania the small Greek Army has more than held its own. Aided by the British Air Force, and supplied to a large extent by the British Fleet, the Greeks have dealt a series of heavy blows at the Italian forces. They also have done much damage to Italian prestige. In South-Eastern Europe, and, above all, in the Arab lands of the Middle East, prestige plays a vital part in politics. Whereas six months ago the odds on an "Axis" victory seemed to be almost overwhelming, a vastly different situation exists to-day; and the Bulgars, as well as the Rumanians and Yugoslavs, must be in a torment of doubt and misgiving. So far as one can judge in the absence of precise news, the Turks are standing fast by their alliance with Great Britain; and they are doughty fighters in any cause. Their attitude of independence has been encouraged greatly by the British and Greek successes against the Italians, and it is most unlikely that they will consent in any circumstances to turn a blind eye to the passage of "Axis" troops through their territory *en route* to the Suez Canal, or even that they will remain indifferent to an invasion of Bulgaria, with, or without, King Boris's approval. If the reports of the British landing of parachute troops in the Calabria district be accurate, another fillip will be given to Balkan independence. As we write there is no confirmation of the Italian reports from British sources; but the adoption of such audacious tactics by Great Britain would give the Balkan peoples seriously to think. In the past the initiative on almost every occasion has been taken by the "Axis" Powers, with the natural result that they have gained enormous prestige among the smaller nations. Now that the boot, to some extent, is on the other foot, at any rate in the Mediterranean, the consequences will be interesting to watch.

Ireland's Roads

Nearly all the County Councils by this time have adopted their estimates of expenditure for the financial year 1941-'42, and in every instance, by reason of the rising costs in every direction, these estimates have shown an increase over expenditure in the current period and over normal expenditure in recent years. Such increases are inevitable in the abnormal times in which we live now, and County Councillors, in a natural desire to save the ratepayers as much as possible, have been examining the figures before them almost with a microscope in the hope that they may find some item that can be reduced. It is the duty of County Councillors, of course, to safeguard their ratepayers—though a regrettably large number of them seem to regard this part of their duties as the sole concern of their existence; but their first and paramount ambition ought to be for the welfare of the territory under their care and for its continual improvement. When the interests of the ratepayers, as individuals, begin to take precedence of any other consideration of the County Councils, the Councils are failing in the tasks for which they were appointed. In virtually every estimate so far presented an attempt has been made to reduce expenditure by lopping a substantial sum off the budget for road work. This action, apparently, is regarded as a justifiable economy—though how any man in his senses can regard road-building, in view of the present condition of most Irish roads, as an extravagance, is beyond our understanding. On Thursday, a motion at Cork County Council, demanding a fifty *per cent.* reduction in road expenditure, was defeated by only a small majority; and even then, the County Surveyor's estimate of £79,000, as the absolute minimum upon which he could carry out necessary reconstruction and repairs, was reduced by 25 *per cent.* The chief argument put forward in favour of a reduction was that motor traffic had been reduced so considerably by the petrol shortage—as private motoring has come virtually to an end and as normal receipts from motor tax may come to a similar end before the year is out—that the Council ought not to continue to spend such huge sums of money on the roads. Admittedly, the roads will receive less wear, and, consequently, will be in need of fewer repairs, but is any Council acting wisely if it decides to discontinue the work of making new roads and remaking old ones? Road building not only is a necessity, but is one of the few industries in this country which need not be affected adversely by the war. We have all the materials readily available; we have a body of unemployed men—swelling almost daily, unfortunately—who are urgently in need of work. Either relief money or employment must be found for thousands of able-bodied men, and it is better to pay them in work than to pay them in idleness. The number of industries in Eire which have not been damaged, at least in some degree, directly by the war could be counted on the fingers of one hand, and road-building is among them. We regret, therefore, that so many Councils have decided to make drastic reductions in the budget for roads, and if the unprecedented virtues of such industries as road-building at the present time do not recommend themselves to the country's county councillors, we would beg the Government to take whatever steps may be necessary to ensure the continuance of this highly advantageous and much-needed work.

Cooking for Boys

At a recent meeting of the Women's Social and Progressive League in Dublin, the subject of domestic economy in Irish schools was discussed, and the view was expressed that boys, as well as girls, should be taught this science. Miss Caith Clancy, the teacher, who expressed this opinion, said that not nearly enough domestic economy was taught in the primary schools, and that boys should all learn to sew on a button, to darn a rent and to cook a plain meal. There always comes a time in a man's life, she said, when he will have to do these things for himself, and, up to the present, Irish boys have been spoiled by their mothers, and later by their wives. Miss M. M. Lynch agreed that domestic economy was neglected in the schools, and that boys should not be exempt from it. She pointed out that they have a natural aptitude for it, and that most of the world's famous cooks have been men. It is true that boys have a flair for cooking; the number of comparatively young boys who can produce an appetising meal from very limited camp resources should be ample proof of this statement. If the cooking classes were made entirely optional in the boys' schools—and if the option rested with the boys rather than the parents—it is extremely likely that the class would be a success. From the point of view of the teachers, the scheme might prove to be a mixed blessing. The boys probably would eat the more appetising ingredients on the spot, and use the less appetising ones as ammunition in an attack on their neighbours, more or less as they use the chemicals in the science laboratory when the master happens to be looking the other way. If, on the other hand, the classes were made compulsory, it is highly probable that the boys would take united action against the system. They would feel most offended and indignant to think that they should be forced to behave like girls; and who can blame them? The greatest sin in the eyes of a schoolboy is to behave like a girl. They might cook of their own free will, and regard it as a bit of fun; if the authorities attempted to force them to do so there would be trouble. In any case, the study of domestic economy is of no great importance to boys. The school curriculum is too large as it is; if domestic economy were added to an already immense list, either the study of the three R's would have to be reduced further, or the school hours would have to be lengthened. Neither of these steps would be desirable, or, indeed, advisable.

HOPES AND FEARS IN TOKYO

WATCHING NEW U.S. NAVAL MOVES

THE Japanese Press is divided between fears that America will force a crisis if Japan's southward advance goes too far, and hopes that the President's latest remarks may have been largely bluff, says a "Times" telegram from Tokyo last night.

The latter view is based on the opinion that the United States will not send its fleet to Singapore while the European struggle remains undecided. Other Japanese observers in America interpret the President's remarks as meaning that the United States will act promptly if Japan moves South.

The new American Naval Budget contains a proposal for increased naval and air establishments at Tutuila, in Samoa, which the Japanese find significant. The Cabinet spokesman to-day declined to make any formal comment, but said that the projected strengthening of the Tutuila defences was "very important." In view of Samoa's remoteness, its importance in Japan's strategical plans has hitherto escaped notice. Its new importance consists in Samoa's situation between Hawaii and New Zealand, which, according to the *Asahi*, makes it a link in American plans for encircling Japan, and enabling the American Fleet to connect with Manila and Singapore, via Australia.

Political speculation here is concentrated on British and American reactions to Japan's southward advance. The British reinforcements in Malaya, though little discussed by the Press, have received due notice, and are clearly understood to confirm the warning given by the London Correspondent of the *Asahi* that Great Britain will resist further

In Japan the public is being instructed through the Press that Singapore not only obstructs the southward advance, but is one of the chief obstacles to a settlement of the China war. It is an obstacle which might be removed either by Singapore passing out of British hands or by its being "contained" by new fortifications, which might arise on Thai or Indo-Chinese territory. But the part which the American Fleet might play is all-important, and it is highly probable that the immediate prospects of peace or war in the Pacific depend on the view that the Japanese Government forms about American policy over Singapore.

In an interview with the Washington Correspondent of *Nichi Nichi*, Admiral Nomura is reported to have said that a German success in a spring *Blitzkrieg* campaign will dispose the United States to cultivate Japan's friendship, while a German failure will cause America to strengthen her forces in the Pacific, with the result that Japanese-American relations will suffer. At the same time Admiral Nomura warned the Japanese people not to under-value America's power of waging total war.—(Copyright, per Press Association.)

COURT AND PERSONAL

FROM THE *COURT CIRCULAR.*

BUCKINGHAM PALACE, Friday.

The King and Queen attended by the Lady Katharine Seymour and Sir Eric Mieville, visited Manchester yesterday, and Stoke-on-Trent to-day.

The Right Hon. Herbert Morrison, M.P. (Secretary of State for the Home Department and Minister of Home Security), was in attendance during Their Majesties' visit to Manchester.

The Duchess of Gloucester inspected a Women's Auxiliary Air Force Dépôt in the North of England during the week.

The Duchess of Kent was present this week at a hat show in aid of the Merchant Navy Comforts' Service.

The Duke of Norfolk and the Duke and Duchess of Marlborough were among those present at a Memorial Service for Captain Euan Wallace, M.P., which was held this week at St. Mark's, North Audley street, London.

The Dowager Countess of Denbigh is in residence at Lane End, Sunningdale.

The Earl of Inchcape, 12th Royal Lancers, was married quietly in London on Wednesday last to Mrs. Pixie Hannay, daughter of Sir Richard and Lady Pease.

The Countess of Dysart celebrated her fifty-first birthday during the week.

The Soviet Ambassador and Madame Maisky gave a luncheon party in London earlier in the week in honour of Mr. Anthony Eden, M.P., Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs. The guests included Sir Roderick and Lady Jones, and Sir Edward and Lady Evans.

Mr. Tony Wilson, son of Sir Mathew Wilson, is now in Canada.

Lady Glen Coats is staying in Edinburgh.

Miss Angela Lloyd Thomas is now in London.

The marriage of Captain Hamilton O'Malley and Lady Iris Mountbatten will take place shortly quite privately.

The engagement is announced, and the marriage will shortly take place, between Flight Lieutenant Ronald Henderson, R.A.F., only son of Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Henderson, of Perth, and Lorraine, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Aston, of The Dell, Foxrock, Co. Dublin, and 30 Moseley Wood Lane, Cookridge, Leeds.

The engagement is announced between J. W. MacMullen, elder son of Mrs. MacMullen, Faughts, Sligo, and the late W. J. MacMullen, and Noreen, younger daughter of Mrs. Collery and the late Bernard Collery, Colga Cottage, Sligo.

DOUGLAS—MALCOLM.

The engagement is announced between J. Harold Douglas, elder son of Senator and Mrs. Douglas, 70 Eglinton road, Donnybrook, and Hazel, only child of Mr. and Mrs. A. Malcolm, Mafra, Ballybrack, Co. Dublin.

ST. PATRICK'S NIGHT A.R.P. BALL.

A Ball to provide funds for A.R.P. Group M, Area 4, will take place on St. Patrick's Night in the Royal Hibernian Hotel. Tickets, 12s. 6d., including buffet, may be obtained at the Hotel or from any member of the Ball Committee.

An Elizabeth Arden Treatment is marvellously stimulating and refreshing—a real tonic for winter-weary skin. Make an appointment with Miss Sampson, from the London Salon, who is now permanently in attendance at Switzers of Grafton street. (Sole Agents in Dublin for Elizabeth Arden Preparations.)

Just arrived from the London Fashion Markets, Swing Coats, from 59s. 6d.; also lovely collection of Evening Ensembles, Suits and Two-Pieces, at Femina's, 9 Wicklow st.

Leaders of Fashion in all Spectacle Wear. Dixon and Hempenstall, Grafton street.

. . . there is real charm, long term economy in 'Viyella' Pyjamas. Lasting as they do, they wash beautifully and keep you safe from chills.

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Furs of Quality by Expert Furriers. Remodelling, Repairing, Cleaning, a speciality. Model Fur Co., 51 Grafton street, Dublin.

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25 YEARS AGO

From the *Irish Times*, February 15, 1916.

The Command of the Sea.

The demand of the City of London meeting yesterday, that the Government shall give the Navy freedom to use its sea power in the war, will be echoed and endorsed by the whole nation, declares the *Daily Mail*. The naval officer is convinced that if a rigid blockade had been established from the first week of the war, German resistance would already have been broken. He still thinks that if given a free hand, he could do much to hurt the enemy. But the sands are running out. The way for us to win is to use our sharpest weapon remorselessly, and no longer keep it sheathed—to deal with all these difficulties of supply to and through neutral countries by placing the whole control of them in the hands of the Admiralty. That is to the way of the sea. If we dare not take it, then, indeed, we deserve to go under.

Celebrated Warship Lost.

The Admiralty announces that H.M.S. Arethusa struck a mine off the east coast of England. It is feared that she will become a total wreck. About ten men lost their lives.

GAS PRODUCER LORRIES

As the result of some months of intensive experimental work the technical staff of the locomotive department of the Great Southern Railways Company has now been successful in producing a mobile gas producer specially adapted for fitting to the company's road transport vehicles and capable of operation on home-produced fuel in place of petrol.

The first of these producer gas-driven vehicles is now in daily use on the road, giving satisfactory results on selected Irish anthracite beans. It is a 3 to 4½ ton "Bedford" lorry. The engine may be started up on petrol, ticking over in the usual way to provide suction to draw up the fire in the producer for about three minutes, after which the petrol is cut off and the engine run entirely on producer gas.

The hopper, which forms part of the producer, has a capacity of 3½ cwts. of anthracite, which gives an effective range of travel of well over 300 miles without refuelling. Peat charcoal, produced in the railway company's own plant, has also been used successfully in this producer and gives improved results, but, owing to its greater bulk, lowers the mileage between refuelling to approximately 200 miles.

The Great Southern Railways are also experimenting with a British gasogenes producer plant supplied by Mr. Elsy, of Autocars, Ltd., and fitted to "Ford V8" 3 to 4½ ton lorry.

HIGH WATER AT OTHER PORTS.

	Morning.	Evening.
Ballina	10.24	10.51
Belfast	1.52	2.10
Cork	8. 4	8.26
Cobh	8. 1	8.23
Dundalk	2. 7	2.25
Galway	8.20	8.43
Kinsale	7.50	8.12
Limerick	9.50	10.13
Sligo	9. 5	9.33
Waterford	9.44	10. 4

LONDON LETTER

AIR-RAID DAMAGE

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
FRIDAY NIGHT.

A LONDON district experienced great damage during the night as the result of bombing by a single aeroplane, a heavy calibre bomb being dropped on a working-class neighbourhood, causing not only destruction, but a number of casualties. Rescue squads worked all night to free trapped victims, and the work was continued this morning. A warden's post was damaged and an ex-Service men's club suffered. The raid was very early, a number of people being about the streets, and it is thought that some of these may have been hurt. The bodies of seven victims, including two young children, one a baby of only a month or two, were recovered from the wreckage, but three other children were found to be alive when rescued.

Late Lady Chamberlain

Lady Chamberlain, the widow of Sir Austen Chamberlain, who has just passed away, was the charming and intelligent wife to the great Foreign Secretary, and it was she who looked most carefully to the health of a man who was never very strong, thus enabling him to carry on with his work. It may be remembered that a visit paid to Rome by Lady Chamberlain just at the time that Mr. Neville Chamberlain was attempting to come to an agreement with Herr Hitler was responsible for a great deal of criticism, and even suspicion, particularly as she was not sympathetic towards a policy of appeasement, though she hoped for a better understanding with Italy; and when she went to Rome it was to carry out unofficial and artistic missions, but her visit gave Signor Mussolini and the Fascists an indication of the feeling in Britain. Her efforts may have been in vain, but they were well meant and, in the circumstances, of value.

Evacuation Difficulties

One of the great difficulties attending evacuation is that of feeding the people who have removed to small towns and villages, bringing about a situation that has grown steadily worse since foodstuffs became scarcer and the meat ration scheme has been extended. Local retailers have found themselves unable to cope with the needs of the evacuees, and have been appealing to Lord Woolton to give them help, and he in turn has set his department to work out a scheme to ease the situation. It is related that in a number of districts shopkeepers are getting no more in the way of supplies than they were before evacuation attained its present height. This has resulted in many of the evacuees journeying to London weekly and searching the shops for unrationed foods, which seems unfair to everybody concerned. Lord Woolton, having given the matter his attention, will soon find a remedy, but the difficulty is a very real one.

Ex-King Alfonso

King Alfonso's renunciation of his rights comes rather late in the day, possibly too late, since he failed to take advantage of opportunity when it knocked at his door. Restoration plans were very bright at the conclusion of the Spanish war, when Prince Juan was generally regarded as a most promising candidate for the throne, being handsome, young, intelligent, and well trained as a sailor in the British Navy; but King Alfonso himself, unpopular at the moment, would not retire in favour of his son. Since that time there has been an ardent anti-monarchist campaign by the Falangist Party, and little importance is attached to the claims of King Alfonso or those of his son. It may be many years before Spain turns towards the Royalist cause again.

War Damage Bill

The War Damage Bill has passed through its Committee stage in the House of Commons without any drastic change in its structure, but the Government undertook to give further consideration to several of its provisions before the Report stage, and it is likely that there will be several changes of importance when the measure is finally passed. Some of the changes will be connected with the insurance of personal possessions, which, under the bill as it was introduced and as it stands at present, is to be voluntary, at a premium of 30s. per cent. The suggestion that insurance of household goods should be compulsory received a good deal of support, and if the Government is able to accept the compulsory principle it is likely that the premium will be reduced. It is believed that if all the households in the country could be brought into the scheme, either by compulsion or by voluntary means, by making the premium so low that few people would remain outside the scheme, the premium could be cut down to as low as ten shillings *per cent.*, and that the more people included in the plan the lower the premium could be made, since there would be a greater proportion of the households in comparatively safe areas, whereas those in vulnerable districts would be insured under the scheme whether it is compulsory or not.

Stock Exchange Reforms

The public will not be affected financially by the proposed reforms of Stock Exchange procedure, as the commissions charged for the buying and selling of stocks and shares is to remain unaltered. The effect of the scheme will be to reduce the commissions payable for Stock Exchange business, an instance being the reduction of the commission payable to banks from fifty *per cent.* to thirty-three and a third *per cent.*, and registers will be compiled of those entitled to commission. The half commission men, who benefit by active conditions in the Stock Markets, will disappear unless they are registered and perform some service for their remuneration. The question of raising the charges to the public was considered, but it was felt that such a step would not be justified while a considerable proportion of the gross commissions was returned to agents. The scheme is the result of collaboration between the London Stock Exchange, the twenty-two associated Stock Exchanges, and the Provincial Brokers' Stock Exchange. The date for the operation of the various changes in Stock Exchange rules is June 1st.

The Tobacco Trade

Inquiries by the Government, through the Tobacco Controller's Department, and by representatives of the tobacco trade, have been made concerning the shortage of cigarettes and tobacco in some areas, and there is no doubt that ample stocks are available for all needs, and that the shortage is confined to comparatively few districts. New methods of distribution are being introduced so that supplies may be more balanced. It has been found that the consignments to Army canteens can be reduced without inconvenience, and that adjustments can also be made to supplies going to districts which have fewer inhabitants now in consequence of evacuation. The improved system of distribution is being introduced as soon as possible, and it is hoped that within a week or two all districts will be well supplied.

THE SUN.

	To-day.	To-morrow.
Rises	8.45	8.43
Sets	6.35	6.37
Lighting-up Time	7. 5	7. 7

HIGH WATER AT DUBLIN.

	To-day.	To-morrow.
Morning	2.22	3. 6
Evening	2.40	3.31

OUTLOOK IN THE FAR EAST

SITUATION SAID TO BE "NO WORSE"

Britain Keeps Close Eye On Events

JAPANESE ENVOY ON PEACE IN PACIFIC

THE Far Eastern situation seemed somewhat eased yesterday with the Australian statement that there was no further deterioration, and the display of outward calm in the Dutch Pacific possessions. From Batavia came word that some activity was apparent in official quarters, but on all sides it was insisted "nothing unusual is happening."

There was no evidence of extraordinary naval or military measures.

From Saigon no question of an increase of Japanese pressure on Indo-China was reported, but there was an authoritative opinion, according to Associated Press, that the Japanese were not making further naval concentrations at the port of Haipong.

From Bangkok it was reported that a high Government authority had said that Britain had informed Thailand of measures to defend the Malayan frontier, and that Thailand had reciprocated by giving the British information on their own frontier defence actions.

A broadcast by the Japanese News Agency, Domei, from Tokyo, which was heard in New York to-day, said that the Japanese Foreign Minister, Mr. Yosuke Matsuoka, had told a Committee of the House of Representatives that he would utilise the present Japanese-Russian trade negotiations "to readjust relations between the two countries."

While the new Japanese Envoy in Washington expressed to President Roosevelt yesterday his resolution to achieve a "better understanding" between their two countries, and thereby preserve the peace of the Pacific, Japanese Press reports, quoted by the Paris radio last night, said that relations between the United States and Japan were "at the point of breaking off."

The Far East, showing Japan's relation to Singapore, Australia and American and British islands in the Pacific.

FEELING IN AUSTRALIA

The Australian War Cabinet conferred with the Defence Chiefs and discussed the latest information from overseas in Sydney yesterday. It was stated that "no further deterioration" in the sharpened Far Eastern outlook had been disclosed, a Press Association telegram stated last night.

Mr. Fadden, the acting Prime Minister, issued a statement at the conclusion of the conferences saying:—

"The War Cabinet received reports on the progress of the Australian defence programme, which were discussed in the light of the most recent cables about the international situation.

"The people of the Commonwealth may rest assured that the warnings issued were regarded as necessary, so that everyone might be seized with the need for placing the nation's interests first.

"It is well for me to say that, as in the last war, Australians can, and will, face any crisis calmly and with deliberate purpose."

In London yesterday it was pointed out that, although the position in the Far East has been under observation for some time, and although it still requires watching, it should not be assumed that there are any new developments which make the position sensational.

Close contacts are being maintained with the Netherlands Government in London.

A RESOURCES SURVEY

Later messages from Sydney last night disclosed that the meeting of the Australian War Council decided that a survey of all the country's resources should be made with a view to ensuring that all shall be used advantageously, since it is essential that the full resources of the nation be marshalled for the war effort.

The Leader of the Opposition, Mr. Curtin, has announced his support of the Government's measures. "I have complete confidence in the work being done here," he said. "I assure Australians that what is in hand is rightfully in hand. We are in agreement with what the Government is doing."

AUSTRALIA'S NATIONALS

Also issued in Sydney yesterday was the following statement by Sir Frederick Stewart, Minister for External Affairs:—

"Although the warnings recently given to British subjects to leave Japan applied also to Australians, no request has gone from Australia to the Australian Minister in Tokyo, Sir John Latham, to give a direct warning. There are no indications that Japanese subjects intend to leave Australia."

Japanese firms in Sydney state, and the Japanese Consul-General confirms, that no instructions have been received advising them to leave Australia, and they do not believe that there is any danger of war. They seem to regard the warning statement issued by the Acting Prime Minister and the Leader of the Opposition as unduly alarming.

"MORE SERIOUS"

NEW ZEALAND PREMIER'S VIEW

ASSOCIATED PRESS.

AUCKLAND (N.Z.) Friday.

Mr. Peter Fraser, Prime Minister of New Zealand, said to-night that his Government had received information which indicated that the position overseas was becoming increasingly serious.

He said that the continuing deterioration of the situation had become of the utmost gravity, and the War Cabinet and Government were giving daily and even hourly attention to these matters.

SOUTH SEAS DRIVE

JAPAN UNLIKELY TO MAKE BIG MOVE NOW

PRESS ASSOCIATION.

CHUNGKING, Friday.

Certain Chinese quarters here to-day believe that Japan is still hesitating before launching a drive in the South Seas, which she knows will inevitably bring her into a major conflict with Britain. It is argued here that even if Japan agrees to move in the Pacific to support a German *blitz* in Europe she is unlikely to make an important move until she has good reason to believe the *blitz* in Europe has a good chance of success.

Japan finds it yet too early for southward expansion, although it will begin sooner or later, it is pointed out. One suggestion is that Japan's hesitation is largely due to fear of Soviet Russia. Even should Russia conclude a non-aggression pact with Japan, the latter will always be exposed to attack from the Soviet, whether her South Seas venture is successful or not.

SPRING OFFENSIVE POSSIBILITIES

If Germany and Japan win in their spring offensives, these circles say that Russia cannot afford to remain idle. On the other hand, if they lose it is all the more certain that Soviet Russia will take advantage of Japan's weakness to make an important move in Asia.

The Chinese papers are filled with reports of Japanese naval concentrations off the French Indo-China and Thailand coasts, as well as those pouring in from Washington and London.

"NOTHING WILL HAPPEN"

At a conference for foreign correspondents in Tokyo yesterday, a Government Information Board spokesman, discussing reports of impending hostilities in the Pacific, said that the atmosphere was serious, and that one must prepare against every possible contingency. He added, however, that, in his view, nothing would happen.

This spokesman also stated that Japan was anxious to maintain and increase peaceful relations with Australia.

Meanwhile reports that the Japanese Fleet is concentrating off Haiphong (Indo-China), and the warning to American citizens in the Far Eastern countries to return home has made the Pacific situation front page news in the United States newspapers. One speculation is that Japan is waging another "war of nerves" to assist the Axis.

INDO-CHINA COAST

JAPANESE WARSHIP PATROL

ASSOCIATED PRESS.

SAIGON, Friday.

Japanese warships were patrolling the entire coast and as far west as Bangkok as "a precaution against possible developments in these waters," declared Japanese newspaper correspondents in Saigon, capital of French Indo-China.

Japanese naval circles did not confirm this statement.

The Japanese correspondents said: Japan was expecting Germany to attempt an invasion of Britain, whereupon "Japan will move against Anglo-American interests in the Orient, and against the Dutch East Indies first attacking Singapore."

BRITISH FORCES NEAR THAILAND

REPORT FROM TOKYO

"Authenticated reports" of the massing of "British Army, Navy and Air Force contingents along the southern and western borders of Thailand," are mentioned in a Bangkok despatch to the Domei News Agency to-day, a Press Association telegram from Tokyo stated last night.

"Concentrations of British Indian troops are reported to be increasing daily along the frontier between Burma and Thailand, whilst troops have also been despatched to Malaya," the despatch adds.

FRIENDSHIP FOR BRITAIN

A telegram from Bangkok yesterday stated that the Government of Thailand, in a *communiqué* affirming that friendly relations continue to exist between Great Britain and Thailand, says that according to news from various sources now current the British military authorities have stationed land, naval and air forces on the Thai borders adjoining the Federated Malay States and Burma. This may lead some people wrongly to suppose that Great Britain will eventually violate Thai territory, the *communiqué* continues.

The Government goes on to state that "The friendly relations happily existing between Great Britain and Thailand remain unimpaired, both countries still respect the Treaty and Pact of Non-Aggression concluded between them, and their mutual understanding and sympathy remain cordial in every way."

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GREEK RESERVES CALLED UP

ARMY CONTINUES OFFENSIVE

7,000 ITALIANS CAPTURED

ASSOCIATED PRESS TELEGRAM.

ATHENS, Friday.

GREEK forces in the Central Albanian sector were reported to-day to have dislodged the Italians from a fortified position in an action described as "of exceptional importance." The Greeks captured one height of great importance and other positions to the north of Klisura. After the Italian withdrawal the enemy dead and wounded were counted in hundreds.

Reports from Greece to-day said that the Government, apparently fearing a German invasion through Bulgaria and Yugoslavia, had called up many additional classes of reservists.

The Greeks attained their objectives at every point, the announced added, quoting late despatches from the front. The Italians were dislodged from all their positions. At three points in particular the results of the engagements were of a decisive nature. At one of these points 7,000 prisoners, including many officers and a particularly heavy amount of war material were captured. At the second point the Italians were pushed back a good distance and more prisoners taken, while at a third point in the battle many prisoners and much more material fell into Greek hands.

GREEK OFFENSIVE

Operations on the Albanian battle front may now be entering a phase of rapid development, the announced said. All along the front line from the northern area, near the Yugoslav border, to the Adriatic coast, eighty miles away, the Greek forces have again assumed the initiative with great vigour. The new Greek offensive follows the conclusion of the Italian counter-attacks, which were beaten back with disastrous losses to the enemy. The Greek advance is general. On the centre of the Albanian battle front the Greek push has been most effective. It began with the capture of a stronghold on a height which the Italians claimed to be impregnable.

After a heavy bombardment by Greek artillery the position became very uncomfortable for the enemy. Then the Greek infantry launched a bayonet charge, supported by Greek warplanes from above, dislodged the Italians and drove them down the hill in utter confusion. The enemy left a great number of dead and wounded on the battlefield. In a general way, the announcer concluded, Italian resistance is said to be weakening, even at points which up to the present were stubbornly defended.

7,000 ITALIAN PRISONERS

PRESS ASSOCIATION.

LONDON, Friday.

The Greek Army to-day continued its offensive all along the 80-mile battle front in Albania, and at one point captured 7,000 Italian prisoners, including many officers, states Athens Radio, quoted by Reuter.

DUBLIN TRAMWAYS DIVIDEND

MAINTAINED AT FOUR PER CENT.

The Dublin United Tramways Co. (1896), Ltd., is maintaining the dividend on the Ordinary stock for 1940 at the figure of 4 per cent. to which it was raised a year ago.

This was made known yesterday when the directors at their meeting considered the company's balance sheet and statement of accounts for the year ended December 31, 1940.

Having set aside the sum of £35,000 to write down premises, the board decided to recommend, subject to final audit, the payment of a final dividend on the Preference stock at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, less income tax. It was also decided to recommend a final dividend on the Ordinary stock at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, less income tax, which, with the interim dividend paid last August, will amount to 4 per cent. for the year 1940, and to carry forward the sum of £21,561, compared with £16,670 brought in.

This time last year £12,000 was placed to reserve for obsolete stores, £10,000 for income tax, and £13,000 for accident insurance.

RUMANIAN ENVOY IN LONDON

REFUSES TO RETURN

M. Radu Florescu, *Chargé d'Affaires* of the Rumanian Legation in London, and M. Ion Mugru, Press *Attaché* to the Legation, have refused to obey their Government's instructions to return to Rumania. It is likely that to-day the name of another member of the Legation staff who has also refused will be made known.

Six of the staff left London last night on the first stage of their journey home. There are still six members of the diplomatic staff and about 30 clerical staff to go, but it is understood that some of the latter had already declared their intention to remain in Great Britain.

THE WAR IN AFRICA

BRITISH CAPTURE NEW POSITIONS

GERMAN 'PLANES HELP ITALIANS

PRESS ASSOCIATION TELEGRAM.

NAIROBI, Friday.

THE capture, successively, of the important enemy post of Afmadu, in Italian Somaliland, and of Bulo Erillo, an Italian post on the Juba river, is officially announced here. The large amount of the material captured includes five armoured cars at Afmadu and four armoured cars at Bulo Erillo. The advance on Keren is proceeding.

The text of the *communiqué* is as follows: "On February 11 our East African troops attacked Afmadu, an important post held by enemy forces. After our heavy raids by South African Air Force units, on February 10, a large proportion of this garrison fled, leaving a few half-hearted defenders. The operation was not only successful, but was carried out without loss to ourselves. Much material, including five armoured cars, was captured. After this success, early in the morning of February 13 units of the East African forces attacked Bulo Erillo, on the Juba River, meeting with strong resistance. The operation was entirely successful, and the enemy abandoned the position. Much material, including four armoured cars, was captured. In the remainder of this theatre South African Air Force units are co-operating, and are rapidly establishing air superiority."

REDUCING KEREN

Progress in Eritrea is reported in to-night's *communiqué* from British G.H.Q., Cairo. Operations for the reduction of Keren, the key-town, sixty miles north-west of Asmara, the capital, are stated to be proceeding.

Another heavy attack on the Italian island of Rhodes is announced in to-day's official *communiqué* issued by R.A.F. Headquarters in the Middle East.

The *communiqué* states: "On the night of February 12-13 heavy bombers of the R.A.F. carried out an attack on the harbour of Rhodes. Several fires were started, which were still burning when our aircraft left the target.

'PLANES DESTROYED

"On the same night heavy and successful bombing attacks were made on the aerodromes at Tirana and Durazzo, hangars and other buildings being subjected to direct hits. Four twin-engined enemy aircraft on the ground were destroyed by fire at Tirana.

"Throughout yesterday concentrated and repeated attacks were made in the Tepeleni area and on military concentrations in and around Duki. Many direct hits were obtained on military targets in Tepeleni and a number of fires started. Bombs were dropped on a military camp north-west of Duki, with direct hits on three buildings and a motor transport column. Considerable damage was also caused to military concentrations south of Duki. An enemy fighter was shot down in flames. Military objectives at Elbasan were also successfully attacked. In the Berat area our bombers were intercepted by a formation of Italian Monoplane fighters and in the ensuing engagement two enemy aircraft were shot down. Two of our bombers failed to return.

ITALIAN RAIDS

"It is now reported that a further fourteen unserviceable aircraft were discovered at Benina and forty at Berka. During the last two days Benina aerodrome has been raided by the enemy, but only slight damage was caused. During the night before last Benghazi was attacked by enemy aircraft believed to be German. Some damage was caused to civil buildings.

"In Italian East Africa our aircraft continued to give support to the Army offensive in Keren region. Direct hits were registered on the railway station at Keren, and a considerable quantity of bombs were dropped on enemy troop concentrations near Mount Amba. Our fighters encountered a number of enemy fighters over Malta yesterday. A Junkers was hit by anti-aircraft fire.

150,000 REGISTERED FOR EVACUATION

On Thursday night 150,000 people had registered under the Government's evacuation scheme for Dublin and Dun Laoghaire. The figure for Thursday was 50,500, or 8,000 greater than for the previous day. The registrations were evenly distributed over all the centres.

Mr. Frank Aiken, Minister for the Co-ordination of Defensive Measures, will speak on the radio to-morrow evening at 10 o'clock on the provision of accommodation for evacuees in reception areas.

REFUSED IN ERROR

In a letter in yesterday's *Irish Times* a correspondent signing himself "A Father" called attention to the fact that his wife, when endeavouring to register their two children under the evacuation scheme, was told she could not do so. The father, it appears, is in receipt of more than £300 per year, and because the lady was not in a position to give the address to which the children were to be sent registration was refused.

Our representative was informed in an authoritative quarter that this refusal was made in error. The official at the registration centre should have accepted the registration, at the same time making a note that the address to which the children are to be sent would be supplied later when accommodation had been secured. This misunderstanding occurred at other centres, and it is suggested that persons who were refused registration in similar circumstances should renew their applications to-day. This can be done between the hours of 9.30 a.m. and 3.30 p.m., and between 6.30 and 9.30 p.m. According to the original plan, this is the last day for registration.

YUGOSLAVS AT BERCHTESGADEN

Hitler's Talk with Ministers

HITLER yesterday received the Yugoslav Premier and Foreign Minister at his Berchtesgaden retreat, says a Salzburg despatch, quoted in a Press Association telegram from Berlin. Ribbentrop, the German Foreign Minister, was present. "A talk on questions of common interest was conducted in the spirit of traditional friendship between the two nations," the despatch adds.

"IN GREAT RESERVE"

The Yugo-Slav delegation arrived at Salzburg by train early yesterday morning. In the afternoon they went on to Berchtesgaden, where they were received by Hitler at the Berghof at 4.30 p.m. The Fuehrer welcomed his visitors at the door, where S.S. guards were drawn up as a guard of honour. Their talk with Hitler lasted three hours, with a short break for tea.

In addition to Ribbentrop, Dr. Schmidt was present as interpreter. M. Tvetkovitch and M. Cincar Markovitch left at 7.45 p.m., and shortly afterwards began their journey back to Belgrade.

German and Yugo-Slav Radio Stations gave no indication any time yesterday, says Associated Press, that Tvetkovitch, Yugo-Slav Prime Minister, and Cincar Markovitch, his Foreign Minister, were visiting Hitler at Berchtesgaden. Radio Lyons, however, quoted the *Neue Zurcher Zeitung* for a statement that the "German-Yugo-Slav negotiations now in course were being conducted in great reserve." The object of the negotiations, Radio Lyons went on, was believed in Berlin to be Yugo-Slav's attitude towards the Tripartite Pact, and Yugo-Slavia's outlook on current movements in the Balkans.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT

An official statement issued after the talks says:—

"The Fuehrer to-day received at the Berghof, in the presence of the Foreign Minister, Von Ribbentrop, the Yugoslav Prime Minister, M. Tvetkovitch, and Foreign Minister M. Cincar-Markovitch.

"The conversations concerned problems of mutual interest, and they took place in the spirit of the traditional relations of friendship which exist between the two nations."

BULGARIA WANTS NEUTRALITY

REPORTED TROOP MOVEMENTS

PRESS ASSOCIATION.

SOFIA, Friday.

A sensation has been caused in Sofia by the news that the Prime Minister and Foreign Minister of Yugoslavia had left for Germany. The event is considered as the most important since the German occupation of Rumania.

The newspaper *Mir* asks: "Where does Bulgaria stand to-day?" and answers: "The reply is for neutrality and the realisation of national claims peacefully. There is no change in our attitude towards our neighbours."

It is reliably reported here that there have lately been considerable movements of troops along Balkan frontiers. Several Greek divisions are stated here to have been transferred from Albania into Thrace, in case of a surprise move coming from that quarter. A large section of the Greek population of Thrace is reported to be leaving.

It is considered too early here to assess the consequences of the reported presence of German troops on the Yugoslav-Rumanian frontier, and the alleged German demand for the passage of troops through Yugoslav territory. Well-informed circles here connect the visit of the Yugoslav statesmen to Germany with the understanding implicit in the German-Soviet agreement that Germany should keep off Soviet preserves, particularly where Bulgaria is concerned.

NERVOUSNESS IN RUMANIA

In Rumania there is increasing nervousness of British bombing raids, according to travellers reaching Istanbul, and quoted in a message to the independent French Agency. They say that the roofs of hotels at Constanza, Rumania's Black Sea port, are bristling with anti-aircraft guns. Following a meeting of the Rumanian Cabinet on Thursday, says a Bucharest despatch to the German official News Agency, well-informed circles stated that a new political constitution was being worked out and would soon be published.

TURKEY PREPARED TO FIGHT

OFFICIAL PRESS STATEMENT

ASSOCIATED PRESS.

ISTANBUL, Friday.

The official Turkish Press, reflecting the views of the Government, stressed in unison to-day that Turkey was prepared to fight; "for we cannot be disinterested when a foreign army passes into Bulgaria."

These obviously inspired articles were interpreted as Turkey's answer to the Axis diplomatic campaign to obtain Ankara's promise to remain quiet in case the German armies move through Bulgaria as expected.

RUMANIAN GOODS CONTRABAND

His Majesty's Government have decided they must now regard Rumania as territory under enemy occupation as from February 15, 1941; therefore, Rumania will be regarded as an enemy destination for contraband purposes and all goods of Rumanian origin or ownership will be liable to seizure.

SPANISH-ITALIAN TALKS

NEWSPAPER COMMENT

PRESS ASSOCIATION.

ROME, Friday.

Commenting on the talks between Signor Mussolini and General Franco at Bordighera, the *Giornale d'Italia* writes:—"The rapid evolution of events will reveal the substance of the discussions between the chiefs of Italy and Spain. To-day it is important to emphasise the significance of the meeting between the heads of the two Latin revolutions, which is confirmed in an historic moment. The talks have shown the identity of views of the two Governments on problems of a European character, and on those which now interest the two countries. Thanks to the Falangist revolution, which had the active sympathy of Italy and Germany against the hostility of the enemies of the Axis powers, Spain is preparing again to assume in Europe one of her directive functions of which Britain had deprived her."

Tribuna writes:—"Spain has the same reasons as Italy for wishing to break the chains of hegemony imposed by Britain, who has used methods of intimidation dear to the men of London against the Spanish people."

Lavoro Fascista says:—"The social, economic and political problems of Spain are the same as Italy's, and all her problems will find their solution in the liquidation of British Demo-Plutocracy. There is a very significant community of interests between the three Totalitarian revolutions of Italy, Germany and Spain."

ROME SAYS:

PARACHUTE TROOPS LANDED IN ITALY

"ALL CAPTURED BEFORE DOING DAMAGE"

PRESS ASSOCIATION.

ALLIED parachute troops, armed with machine guns, hand grenades and explosives, have landed in Italy, according to yesterday's Italian High Command communiqué issued in Rome. The landing took place on Monday night in the Locano district of Calabria, in the "toe" of Italy, and was carried out with the object of causing damage to communications and water supplies, the communiqué asserts.

It is claimed that, thanks to the prompt intervention of Italian forces, all the parachutists were taken prisoner before they could do serious damage.

During the "round-up" a fight, in which a guard and a civilian were killed, is stated to have taken place.

PRESS ASSOCIATION.

ROME, Friday.

Further alleged details of the rounding-up of the parachute troops are given by the official Stefani Agency to-night.

"During the night of February 10-11," the agency states, "parachutists landed in the Locano district of Calabria between 10.30 p.m. and 2 a.m.

"The parachutists, who carried automatic arms and explosives, certainly intended to damage the regional water supply system, a magnificent achievement of the Fascist *régime* which made possible an agricultural

There was no official comment in London last night on the statement that parachute troops had been dropped in Southern Italy.

revival throughout the district, together with railway lines, bridges and roads.

"Having landed in a clearing surrounded by forests, the parachutists occupied some farms and immobilised the peasants.

"One parachutist who had broken a leg was left in one of these farms, where he was later arrested by guards.

"The British parachutists deceived the peasant farmers by shouting 'Duce,' and so inducing them to open their doors to them.

"After abandoning their injured companion the British made their way to the springs which feed the irrigation system, guiding themselves by means of maps with which they were provided.

"But the alarm had been given in the region, and guards, co-operating with the military police and the military organisations of the Fascist Party, drew a cordon round the area. A search was instituted, making the position of the parachutists very precarious.

"Speedily surrounded, they were unable to execute their plans, and had to hide in the woods to avoid capture. To make capture more difficult, they divided up into several groups, hoping that some at least would be able to break through the cordon and carry out a part of their plans.

"Their plan failed; for, while eleven parachutists were seized in one place, seven others were arrested at the same time a mile or two away.

"The latter attempted to put up a resistance, turning a Tommy gun on the patrol, consisting of one guard, one police constable and a shepherd, who was guiding them over the mountain paths.

"Shots from the British officer's gun put the policeman and the shepherd out of action.

"The guard, left alone, defended himself with his rifle, forcing the parachutists to remain behind a rock until other guards, hearing the shots, came up.

"Seeing that all resistance was hopeless, the parachutists surrendered.

"Another group, which had taben to the scrubland, remained to be found. The search went on, and the rest of the parachutists, including a captain, were seized without trouble.

"All of them were clothed in khaki overalls, and had Air Force caps. They were armed with Tommy guns and automatic pistols, and were provided with Italian money.

"They have been handed over to the Regional Defence Command," the Agency concludes.—(Press Association.)

An Associated Press message from Rome last night says that no details were given when the Italian *communiqué* laconically reported the capture of British parachutists. The newspapers, however, the message adds, told of the capture of four British flyers, who baled out of two 'planes that crashed in the zone where the parachutists were said to have been caught.

"CO-OPERATE WITH GERMANY"

NEW FRENCH MOVEMENT'S APPEAL

PRESS ASSOCIATION.

LONDON, Friday

Broadcasting from Paris to-night, M. Eugene Deloncle, who described himself as "Chief of the Rassemblement National Populaire," appealed to Marshal Pétain to co-operate with Germany.

"M le Marechal," he said, "when you asked for and signed the Armistice, and declared at Montoire that you were ready to take the responsibility before history, you decided irrevocably the fate of this country. Make the gesture expected by all and, through you and the courageous continuation of policy, vanquished France will rise again."

After stating that "the life or death of France" depended on collaboration with Germany, Deloncle said: "If France fails to collaborate she will remain a vanquished country faced by a powerful victor, a dissatisfied victor because his ideal of European reconstruction has not been understood, and a victor rendered distrustful by our present attitude. It will be the death of France if we wait any longer. As always in the past, we have preferred a policy of temporisation and forbearing to one of action. It will, however, be the life of France if the right road is chosen, if we accept collaboration with Germany to construct the Europe of to-morrow both in the economic and in the ideological sphere."

"The French, as well as the Germans," he added, "must be shown that a policy of collaboration is more deeply rooted in our country than is thought, and that it can germinate in all social classes from the extreme Right to the extreme Left, regardless of their political past. We must first of all collaborate—then make the national revolution. The great man of July last was a venerable soldier, a glorious chief, and a virtuous and sincere patriot, who, through misfortunes was elevated to the supreme post. This great man, to render the revolution successful, must gather round himself men of action and vigour, inspired by an ardent faith, yet, endowed with a sense of reality and realising the necessity of acting quickly and remorselessly. The crime of his entourage was that they chose for him a group of men without homogeneity or cohesion. Some men were changed in the Cabinet—too few—some methods were changed—not enough. That is why the national revolution has been delayed. The Rassemblement National Populaire demands that this revolution shall take place and it will unite all those who ask for it, and who know its aims. We demand that those responsible for the defeat shall be punished. We demand, in order to make good our defeat, a strong and authoritative Government, willing to punish the traitors. The revolution must not lead to destruction and ruin, but must, above all, create a new order of things, which shall exclude Jews, Freemasons, Communists, capitalists, and all others who formed the Anglo-Saxon hegemony."

SIX SHIPS SUNK

British Convoy Attacked

Raider a Pocket Battleship

PRESS ASSOCIATION.

FUNCHAL (MADEIRA), Friday.

SIX ships in a British convoy steaming northwards between Madeira and the Azores are believed to have been sunk, following an attack by a German surface raider, apparently a pocket battleship, early yesterday morning.

Over 100 survivors from vessels which went down were landed here to-day. Four of them were taken to hospital.

The ships sunk are believed to include one of Greek registration.

The raider hurled salvoes of shells into the convoy for about half an hour and then disappeared over the horizon. All the vessels in the convoy returned her fire.

When the action was over those vessels which had not been hit dispersed and picked up survivors from those which were sunk.

The official German version of the action, as given in the German High Command communiqué yesterday, claimed that thirteen ships in the convoy were sunk, To-day's High Command communiqué increased the number of vessels sunk to fourteen, and claimed that they represented a displacement of 82,000 tons.

RAIDS ON LONDON AREA

FIRE-WATCHERS DEAL WITH INCENDIARIES

PRESS ASSOCIATION TELEGRAM.

LONDON, Friday.

An "alert" was sounded in the London area shortly after dark to-night and bombs fell in a London district shortly afterwards.

Raiders flew in from the west and were promptly attacked by gun-fire.

A second 'plane, which followed a few minutes late, dropped a high explosive bomb. Raiders were heard over another London suburb, and there also they were received with gun-fire.

After several medium-sized bombs had fallen, a heavy one crashed in one district.

Hundreds of incendiaries fell in several London districts, but organised squads of fire-watchers covered street after street and prevented fires.

Raiding 'planes were believed to be in the vicinity of towns in East Anglia, the east of England, the north-west, and the east-midlands.

British night fighters were in operation against raiders in an eastern area, and anti-aircraft guns also were in action at one time.

A British Air Ministry and Ministry of Home Security *communiqué* to-night stated: "Enemy aircraft, flying singly, have dropped bombs at a point in north-east Scotland, and also in Kent, to-day. These caused no damage or casualties.

"During patrol activity in the Straits of Dover this morning an enemy fighter was shot down.

"One of our fighters is missing.

"Later reports show that the casualties in London last night were larger than was first supposed, and included a number of persons killed."

GERMAN-OCCUPIED PORTS ATTACKED

Flying in the teeth of a strong south-easterly wind across the Straits of Dover, Royal Air Force bombers to-night attacked the German invasion ports along the French coast. Flashes lit up the sky in the direction of Calais, and the rumble of heavy explosions was heard on the English side of the Channel.

The Royal Air Force were believed this afternoon to have carried out another daylight sweep over German bases along the French coast.

FOOT-AND-MOUTH DISEASE

NEW OUTBREAK IN DONEGAL

A further outbreak of foot-and-mouth disease has been confirmed on premises at Carrowen, Burt, Co. Donegal. The infected premises, which are situate about two miles from Baylet, Inch Island, where an outbreak occurred on the 30th ultimo, are within the area of the county already under restrictions.

The usual precautions are being taken.

DERRY HERD TO BE DESTROYED

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

DERRY, Friday.

A new case of foot-and-mouth disease confirmed at Newbuildings, in County Derry, is extremely serious. It involves the destruction of one of the largest dairy herds in the North-West of Ireland. Eighty-two head of valuable dairy stock will have to be slaughtered. The farm where this case occurred is adjacent to the farm where a case was confirmed a fortnight ago.

SUSPENSION OF SOLICITOR

ALLEGED PROFESSIONAL MISCONDUCT

LORD CHIEF JUSTICE'S COMMENT

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

BELFAST, Friday.

JOHN LYNN, solicitor, of Ship Quay street, Derry, aged 26, was suspended for two years by the Lord Chief Justice, in the King's Bench Division, Belfast, to-day, after the hearing of reports, in which professional misconduct was alleged by the Discipline Committee of the Incorporated Law Society

His Lordship, describing the charges as serious, imposed the punishment on each of two cases, but directed that it run concurrently. He also ordered that Mr. Lynn should pay the costs of the proceedings.

Mr. J. D. Chambers, K.C. (instructed by Mr. R. A. Rutherford) appeared for the Discipline Committee, and Mr. Charles Stewart for respondent.

Mr. Chambers said that the first complaint was in relation to a contemplated action by Matthew Patterson, of Ballyheather, Burndennett, Co. Tyrone, who was a lorry driver. Patterson met with an accident on December 25th, 1938, and put the matter in respondent's hands. Respondent negotiated with the insurance company, and, as Patterson was not in Derry frequently, he authorised a Mr. Todd Robinson to carry on negotiations on his behalf through respondent. Subsequently respondent came to Belfast and accepted an offer of £12 10s., and when the cheque came through it was addressed to Patterson.

Continuing, counsel said that respondent himself, or through one of his clerks, caused the cheque to be endorsed with a colourable imitation of the signature or endorsement of Patterson. Respondent received £12 10s. on foot of the cheque, and also received from the insurance company a fee of two guineas. He then made out a cheque for £10 in Patterson's favour, deducting a further sum of £2 10s., but that cheque was dishonoured

Answering His Lordship as to whether there there was any justification for the signature being put on the cheque made out in Patterson's name, Mr. Chambers said respondent contended that he had received from Patterson a general authority which enabled him to do so. He (counsel) could not put that construction upon the terms of the authority respondent had received.

Proceeding, counsel read the finding of the Discipline Committee, and said that the Committee were of opinion that respondent was guilty of professional misconduct. The Committee felt that the case could not be met by a fine, which they had power to impose, and that the matter should be referred to his lordship.

SECOND REPORT

Mr. Chambers said that a second report related to Patrick Clifford, Glasgow terrace, Londonderry, who, in the course of his employment, alleged he received damage to his heart. Clifford instructed respondent on September 5, 1938, and later deposited with him £42 5s., which he had received as a gratuity from his employers. Clifford got £10 out of the sum, and a second cheque for £10 was also met. A later cheque for £5 was dishonoured, and when Clifford informed respondent he received another cheque for £5, which was also dishonoured, despite the fact that respondent had £22 5s. belonging to him. On returning the second cheque he got £2 10s in cash. Clifford became dissatisfied, and went to another solicitor, who told him to find out the date on which the case was to be heard. Respondent could not tell him, and he demanded his papers, respondent refusing to give them up. However, on February 20, 1940, the papers were handed over.

Proceedings were instituted against respondent to recover the balance of Clifford's money—£19 15s., and a decree was given for that amount. Counsel understood that those proceedings were not defended. It was found necessary to levy execution on foot of the decree, and the sheriff returned "no goods."

Mr. Chambers said that the committee were also of opinion in this case that respondent's conduct was unprofessional. The Law Society did not wish to exact the last pound of flesh.

Mr. Stewart said that he did not go so far as to say that the findings of the committee were not justified, but he wished to point out that there had been some meeting of the gravity of the charges. The respondent considered he was acting within his rights in signing Patterson's cheque.

In regard to the dishonouring of the cheques, respondent thought that lodgments had been made by his clerk and that there were sufficient funds in the bank. Anything of an unsavoury nature which took place in the dishonouring of the cheques arose through financial embarrassment. Respondent had not the two accounts which it was now necessary to have.

Counsel appealed for leniency.

His Lordship ruled as stated, saying that the case could not be met merely by censure.

NO CUSTOMS DUTY ON VEHICLES

HARNESS AND SADDLERY ALSO FREE

An order made by the Government yesterday under the Emergency Powers Act, suspends as from to-day the Customs duties on animal-drawn vehicles and on harness and saddlery.

It is understood that this order is due to the increased demand for horse-drawn traction in view of the lack of petrol for motor vehicles. The removal of the duties will facilitate the import of new or second-hand articles.

HARDSHIPS OF PROPERTY OWNERS

At a recent meeting of the Executive Committee of the Irish Property Owners' and Ratepayers' Association, Ltd., at which Sir Valentine Grace, Bart., presided, it was decided to make representations to the Government regarding the hardships suffered by property owners on account of the Rent Restrictions Act. Dissatisfaction was expressed at the delay in publishing the report of the Town Tenants (Occupational) Tenancies Tribunal, in view of the fact that the taking of evidence was completed years ago.

CRUISKEEN LAWN

Léigim le deireannaí go bhfuil páirte ag aicme éigin i gCorcaigh go bhfuil siad tar éis funnel nua Gaedhlacha do cheapadh. Molaim-se iad, acht ní feadar caidé deirfeas Connradh na Gaedhilge. Is beag rud nua-dhéanta nach gcáineann an muintir sin.

I gcionn tamaillín cuirfead-sa ar fagháil cupla feanfocal nua agus má bhíonn cáineadh ag dul dom ón gConnradh, bíodh. Tá na seanfocail atá againn ró-sean, ró-meirgeach, ró-tuatach, ró-dó-thráidhe ag Muintir na Cathrach.

SEODA AR SEAN

Tá píosa bhreágh béal-oideasa eile fagháilta agam, by Dad, ó sean-ionadaidhe i nGleann Colum Cille i dTír Conaill, acht ní'l spás agam le'na aithris indiu, by Hokey. Tá scéalta agam go lionmhar 'in mo cheann cruionna féin acht ní bhfuair mé cuireadh riamh 'un gramafóin ón Institiúid Béal-oideasa. Is mór an truaigh sin mar naw beg moh lithayd areesh anne. Agus cuir do shúil mall múinte ar mo phictiúr cior—

Myles na gCopaleen, an shanachie oosal Gayluck, *hard at it*. Bhí fear ionn ar a' bhaile se' darb ainm Téig agus d'frigh se lá 'mháin agus fuaidh air shiúl go bhfeicfead se goidé'n saol abhí ionn i n-áiteachaí eile. Bhal, by Dad, shroich se cró beag agus bhí sean-bhean 'na cônuí ionn, agus insa chôrsain seo ní robh duin' air bith eile 'na chônuí. Bhal, etc., etc., etc., etc.

Agus ar eagla go bhfuil an léightheóir fiosrach, seo 'nár ndiaidh ainmneacha an luchta éisteachta, ó chlé go deis:

Caitlín Neill Thaidhg Móir (Patsie)
Seáinín Tarlaigh Nualacháin Seáin (Tom)
An seanchaidhe uasal Mileas (Dail ó Dia air!)
Séamuisín Dubh Parbí (Drummer)
Dadaí Mícheáil Ruaidh Sorcha Cháit (Tonyduffs)
Máirín Jimmy Thaidhg (Soogroos)

Agus féach! Ar iar-leith an pictiúra, ar taobh na láimhe clé, tá Stiúrthóir an Institiúid Béal-oideasa agus mála ar a dhruim lán de scríbhne a glac sé síos ón sár-seanchaidhe.

Bhal, d'iar se deirc air a' bhean. "Chan fhuil rud air bith agham le tóirt duid," air sise. "Tá beathach aghat," air seisean. "Má tá hín," air sise, "is lium-sa e." "Bhal by Dad," air Téig, "chan fhuil 'fhios agham goidé gheanfhas me nó tá ocras orum." "O Bhal," arsa bhean, etc., etc., etc.

SEÁN CÉITINN.

Maidir le na scéilíní deasa abionn agam coir-uair ar Seán Céitinn, cuireann cara chugam scéal ionnamhail ag tagairt don impire Alacsándar—scéal eile a dhéanfadh dó-innrse through the tedium. Seo thíos é.

Keats's bubbling sense of humour is reflected in the following anecdote which the poet insisted on relating time out of number to the wretched Chapman, whose countenance had long since acquired the permanent look of suffering usually associated with music hall violinists.

"It is not generally known," he would say, "that Alexander the Great was allergic to eggs. He forbade the humble ovoid to all his men, and declared he would execute any person he found eating an egg or possessing one. Nevertheless, there was much secret egg-eating in his camp. One night, in making his rounds of the barracks, the king very nearly surprised a group of officers who were seated round the canteen fire *in flagrante delicto*. They were saved only by the presence of mind of a lance-corporal, who managed to warn his comrades and greet the king with the single inspired cry—

"All Eggs Under The Grate!"

Tig an smaoineamh go minic chugam nach ceart a leitéid sin do chur i gcló.

AG FEACHAINT SIAR.

Do chloisfidhe an Gaedhluinn dá labhairt ar gach aon taobh i rith na Feise (i gCill Airne). Is cuimhin liom an chéad oidhche agus mé ag dul abhaile go déanach, d'airighear fuaim na Gaoluinne roimis amach. D'aithnighear an guth láidir, pé ná féadfainn éin'ne feiscint, do bhí sé chomh dorcha san. Domhnall Ua Dugáin a bhí ann, flat fada 'na láimh aige, agus é ag múchadh an trolluir tríd an chathair. Dubhairt bean uasal áirithe liom gur b'é an chéad rud d'airig sí ar a dúiseacht ar maidin, ná beirt fear fé a fuinneóig agus iad ag cur síos ar Gaoluinn ar an bhFeis. Agus mar san ins gach aon ball. Ní raibh tig, sráid, ná cúinne nach raibh na Gaedhilgeóirí ann, agus geallaim-se duit nár b'é an Béarla gránna bhí dá freagradh acu.

—"Loch Léin," miosúchán, 1903.

MYLES NA GCOPALEEN.

D.U.T. COMPANY'S NEW GARAGE

LAST WORD IN COMFORT AND EFFICIENCY

The new garage of the Dublin United Tramways Company, at Ringsend road, Dublin, which is said to be the most modern of its kind in Ireland, or in England, will be in operation this week-end.

The garage has covered accommodation for 100 omnibuses, while thirty more can be kept in the concreted yard attached. Every vehicle on entering passes through the yard and into the garage by way of three "bays." Here vehicles are re-fuelled from the 40,000-gallon underground storage tanks by pumps, which deliver 20 gallons a minute, and is washed with the aid of two washing machines, each fitted with four hoses, pumping water at 380lb. pressure.

Every 'bus is examined closely every day, and six pits are provided for inspection and repair purposes. Each pit is fitted for the use of compressed-air apparatus for inflating tyres, or injecting lubricants and grease, and also for low-voltage lighting by portable lamps. All the concrete used in the garage is reinforced, and beside the "pits" are sunken air-raid shelters. On the same level as the floor of the "pits" is a "sunken" workshop, which enables the mechanics to carry out their duties without having to climb steps.

The most interesting features of the new building, however, are the arrangements made for the comfort of the staff. There are bright, cheery rooms, where the mechanics can change into their working clothes; specially-designed desks, where conductors can count their "takings," and a well-fitted canteen, where seventy workers can be accommodated at the same time, and where meals can be obtained at the lowest charges. There is also a well-equipped first-aid room.

IRISH WILLS

Mr. James Blair, of Aird, Bushmills, Co. Antrim, farmer, who died on 26th July last, left personal estate in Great Britain and Northern Ireland, valued at £47,819.

Mr. William Irwin of 6 Ward avenue, Bangor, County Down, retired secretary, who died on 5th July last, leaving personal estate in Great Britain and Northern Ireland, valued at £3,631.

JAPAN'S POTENTIALITY

POSSIBLE CONSEQUENCES OF INTERVENTION

FROM OUR MILITARY CORRESPONDENT.

QUITE recently there have been a number of straws tending to show the possible direction of the Japanese wind—the typhoon, as we might call it. There was Colonel Knox's "No more destroyers at present," and there was the Australian Vice-Premier's pointed warning—to say nothing of all sorts of news rumours, whether inspired or otherwise. And, certainly, if Japan should enter the war on the Axis side, it would be more far-reaching than, say, a German advance into Bulgaria. The possibility is sufficiently real to be worth examining—from the three-fold aspect of its possible effect: (a) on current operations; (b) on future British war-action; (c) on the United States. We shall take them in that order.

At the moment the material war-issue is the fate of Italy as a belligerent. As far as Britain's part is concerned, this is a matter of eliminating Italian armed forces from the African Continent. Now this is being done, in the main, by troops drawn from regions directly concerned by any military action of Japan—Australia, India, New Zealand, to wit. It is very probable that a Japanese declaration of war would stop the flow of reinforcements from these countries—at least for a time. It may be that those already *in situ* are sufficient for the work in hand: we have not the requisite data to pronounce on this.

MEDITERRANEAN FLEET

The greatest benefit which Britain could derive from a complete defeat of Italy would be the freeing of her fleet—at present tied to the Mediterranean. But the entry of Japan would, certainly, not allow of this fleet being brought into the Atlantic; it might even result in its being drawn still further away. This will be made clearer when we come to consider the American aspect of the problem. Also the Dutch warships at present co-operating in British waters would conceivably be called upon for the defence of the Dutch East Indies—at least to some extent.

As regards land and air forces, it is unlikely that Britain would require to send to the Far East any units that could usefully be employed elsewhere. Despite its high fighting value, the Japanese Army is—to make a "bull"—of "East European" type. In other words, its quota of 'planes and armoured material, etc., is far below the German standard. Also its capacity for expansion in this respect would be definitely limited—even under the most favourable conditions. It would, consequently, be less a matter of sending out troops than of not being able to count on formerly expected reinforcements from India and the Antipodes for employment in the Mediterranean. This, of course, would react unfavourably on Britain's ability to help Turkey in resisting a German advance across Asia Minor. But any such eventuality would not be immediate in any sense.

AMERICAN AID

President Roosevelt has said that American aid for Britain would not be curtailed, should the U.S.A. become embroiled. This is quite understandable, seeing that American aid is taking the form of material, and that material is far less important against Japan than it is against Germany. In this connection it may be pointed out that the destroyers withheld are not "material," in the strict sense: they are "units."

There is, however, one respect in which the U.S.A. could weightily aid Britain—and in which it is doubtful whether she will do so. If Japan prepares to attack British or Dutch territories by sea, the proper base from which to defend them is Singapore, and the most effective way to use Singapore is to base the American Pacific Fleet on that harbour—thereby setting free the British Fleet for more effective employment in European waters. The question is whether American opinion will "stand for" this most effective way of utilising their battle-fleet? Or will the public opinion in question insist on having the fleet at Hawaii—i.e., directly interposed between Japan and San Francisco on the Panama Canal?

JAPAN'S ARMY AND NAVY

Actually, of course, the fleet at Singapore would cover the purely American interests quite as well. The Japanese will send nothing eastward that would so weaken them as to enable the Americans from Singapore to help to re-conquer China. It must be realised that Japan does not enter the present war—if she comes in atall—as a fresh combatant. On the contrary, she has had nearly four years of thoroughly disheartening and inconclusive war in China. Indeed, there seems to be no end whatever to the Chinese war. Japan fought it badly—not tactically, bady, but on wrong lines. She would have done much better to have used her army less and her navy more. In point of fact, it is only the Navy that could at the present time be regarded as really fresh.

Such, then, would appear to be, in a very broad outline, the possible consequences of Japanese intervention at the present time. There is one other possibility. Russia, the so-called "great enigma," would, in actual fact, become genuinely enigmatic at last. In other words—finding Japan definitely engaged in two wars—Russia might consider the advisability of chancing the third. Only anything might happen to the Ukraine in that case!

IRISH NEWS IN BRIEF

Fine for Keeping Poteen.—Daniel Sullivan, farmer, of Gortloughra, Kealkil, was summoned at Bantry Court for keeping and concealing poteen. District Justice Crotty imposed a fine of £200, mitigated to £6.

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Brothers Imprisoned.—Two brothers, Jeremiah O'Neill and Denis O'Neill, whose address was recorded as Kilbarry road, were charged in custody at Cork District Court yesterday, Jeremiah with having maliciously damaged a plate-glass door to the value of 30s. on licensed premises, and also having assaulted Timothy O'Hanrahan; and Denis with begging in Patrick street. Jeremiah O'Neill was fined £1 1s., ordered to pay 30s. compensation, and sent to jail for two months; Denis O'Neill was given one month's imprisonment.

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Distributive Workers and Clerks.—Mr. T. O'Gorman, Secretary, in his annual report, which was adopted at last night's meeting of the Cork Branch, Irish Union of Distributive Workers and Clerks, stated that during the year a 7½ per cent. increase in wages was negotiated with the retail and wholesale drapery trade. Increases were also secured in the drapery and allied trades' section, the chemists' section, insurance section, retail boot trade, and tailoring establishments. The branch's income for the year was £2,405, and expenditure £491, while £1,935 was remitted to the central fund. They enrolled 149 new members, and lost, through all causes, 153, leaving the membership at 1,726.

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Cork Incorporated Chamber of Commerce and Shipping.—Mr. Dominick Leo Daly has been elected President of the Cork Incorporated Chamber of Commerce and Shipping, in succession to Mr. G. F. Brewitt, who has been President of the Chamber for the past two years. Mr. John J. Horgan, who proposed Mr. Daly, said the Council was sorry that Mr. T. P. Dowdall, owing to his many public duties and private commitments, was unable to accept the presidency for 1941. Mr. Daly's father was President of the Chamber in 1903 and 1909. Mr. Alfred W. Jacob was elected Vice-President. Mr. G. F. Brewitt was thanked by Mr. E. H. Harte and Mr. J. C. Rohan for his work on behalf of the Chamber during his term of office.

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Newry Rates Protest.—The Newry Board of Guardians has adopted a resolution pointing out to the Prime Minister of Northern Ireland the impossible position in which the ratepayers of that area find themselves through the burden of rates, imposed through circumstances over which they have no control. Mr. T Martin, who moved the resolution, stated that they were being slowly strangled by administration which made the Board pay money that should be paid out of the Unemployment Fund. He thought that they should get an amount to meet the additional expenditure—an increase of 3s. in the £ on the rates, due solely to the payment of outdoor relief—from that fund. The Chairman, Mr. J. Reid, J.P., said that it was pointed out at the Armagh County Council that Boards of Guardians were being turned into Public Assistance Boards by the Labour Exchanges, due to bad legislation introduced by the Government.

ROAD TRANSPORT CASE

ALLEGED CARRYING GOODS WITHOUT LICENCE

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

NEWCASTLEWEST, Friday.

At Newcastlewest District Court to-day, Mount-Collins Co-operative Dairy Society was summoned, under Section 9 of the Road Transport Act, for carrying goods for reward without having a merchandise carriers' licence.

Guard Rowsome stated that on December 17, at Newcastlewest, he found 22 pigs in a lorry, the property of the Society. The driver produced a note-book to him, giving the names of owners of the pigs, and said that they were the property of the creamery. The driver did not give him a satisfactory answer when he asked him why pigs were marked differently while owners' names corresponded in the book.

Mr. Francis Moran, manager of the creamery, in reply to Mr. M. J. Woulfe, solicitor for the Society, produced an account book showing the purchase of the pigs by the Society for £123 4s. 7d., and also a record of the sale of the pigs to Messrs. O'Mara, of Limerick.

In cross-examination by Superintendent Mulcahy, he said that the Society was not acting as agents for Messrs. O'Mara.

Mr. Woulfe said that the case was vital to the producers of the district.

The Justice adjourned his decision to next Court.

GUINNESS FIRST CLASS CLERKSHIPS.
Pupils of ROSSE COLLEGE, 65 Stephen's Gn., gained 12 of the 13 appts. offered at the last 3 exams. Class and Postal Tuition.
—(Advt.)

DANCES

LIMERICK HUNT

The Limerick Hunt Ball, which was held last night in the Royal Hibernian Hotel, Dublin, was a most successful function.

The South of Ireland was well represented, and members of numerous Irish hunts were among those present.

Mrs. F. Boylan wore a royal blue gown; Mrs. Knowles was wearing pale grey, with a silver fox cape; Miss Olive Widger came in a picture gown of powder blue and cyclamen striped moiré, and Mrs. Wilfred Fitzgerald wore a full-skirted dress of royal blue tulle over maroon.

Among those present were:—Mrs. A. H. Watt, Viscount and Viscountess Adare, Lady Charles Cavendish, Mr. Rory More O'Ferrall, Mr. Waring Willis, Mr. Roderic More O'Ferrall, the American Minister (Mr. David Gray), Miss Cicely Peel, Miss Susan Colville Miss Grania Kennedy, Mr. G. V. Malcomson, Mr. Michael England, Mr. G. Annesley, Mr. W. O'Grady, Mr. and Mrs. Dermot Gogarty, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Levins Moore, Major Fox Goodman, Mrs. F. Boylan, Miss Diana Page, Mr. R. Usher, Miss Phyllis Leonard, Mr. Patrick Reeves Smyth, Mr. and Mrs. Beasley, Mr. A. Lanigan O'Keeffe.

Mr. John Shorten, Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Cannon, Mr. and Mrs. L. Massey, Mr. and Mrs. Dermod O'Brien, Miss Corinne Odlum, Miss Mavis Odlum, Miss Audrey Odlum, Miss Beryl Talbot, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Hartigan, Mrs. Denis Daly, Mr. Hogan, Miss Sheila White, Mr. Langley Humphreys, Mr. Crawford Mahony, Mr. Stephen White, Mr. Gerard Sweetman, Miss Rosaline Mansfield, Mr. D. Goodbody, Mrs. Brian Pringle, Miss Eileen Shee, Miss Ann Mitchell, Mr. Aubrey Brabazon, Miss R. Tyrrell, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Beary, and Miss Denise St. George Smith.

CISTERCIAN COLLEGE (ROSCREA) UNION

More than 300 people were present last night in the Gresham Hotel, when the annual dance of the Cistercian College (Roscrea) Union took place.

Spot dances and raffles contributed to the success of the evening, and dancing continued to a late hour to the music of the Gresham Band.

The committee included:—Dr. J. Dunne, President of the Union; Mrs. J. Dunne, Mr. H. E. F. Hall, C. B. Healy, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Creed, Mr. N. Dalton, Mr. P. J. Kavanagh, Mr. M. Martin, Miss M. F. Dunne, Miss K. Harnett, Miss J. Ryan, Miss M. Henry, Miss M. O'Keeffe, Mr. and Mrs. T. Grennan, Miss P. Cullen, Miss P. O'Meara, Messrs. D. Crowley, S. Conway, Lieutenant J. Bates, A. O'Meara, B. F. Sherry, M. J. Ryan, R. Payne, T. Duffy, R. Riordan, G. Daly, W. Nolan, W. N. Dillon, — Kennedy, and Seamus O'Brien, Joint Hon. Secretaries, Dance Committee.

The attendance included:—Senator Brennan, Alderman A. Byrne, Surgeon Barniville, E. O'Connor, Mr. and Mrs. T. McMahon, Jos. Cooney, Mrs E. Dalton, Mrs. P. J. Kavanagh, Miss J. Slattery, T. P. Hogan, G. McGowan, J. J. Fitzpatrick, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Loughnaye, Lieutenant Moylett, J. Annable, T. Keating, S. Collins, Dr. Lavelle, R. McKenna, Cecil Riordan, Miss Mulligan, Miss M. King, Lieutenant A. Gaynor, Miss J. Nicell and Mr. M. Lynam, Misses R. Nolan, D. Day, M. Kavanagh, Mr. M. Ryan, Misses J. Collins, S. Collins.

MESSRS. ARNOTT'S STAFF

An enjoyable dance was held by the staff of Messrs. Arnott and Co. in the Metropole Ballroom, when some 400 of the staff and their friends danced to the music of Phil. Murtagh and his band. There were numerous spot prizes.

The Organising Committee included—Mr. J. Toner (hon. treasurer), Messrs. G. F. Towers and J. Kane (hon. secretaries), D. McGrane, J. O'Sullivan, M. Shechy, T. Moroney, M. O'Kane, J. Meehan, B. Liddy, J. Kendrick, P. Coffey, D. McSweeney, P. McDonald, D. Nolan, T. Ryan, P. Smith, the Misses M. McMahon, V. Parsons, B. Farrell, E. O'Leary, M. O'Regan, P. O'Reilly.

The following guests were present:—Mr. William Nesbitt (managing director), Mrs. Nesbitt, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Nesbitt, Major and Mrs. Nesbitt.

Also present—Mr. and Mrs. R. Allright, Mr. and Mrs. A. Bonass, Mr. and Mrs. Toner, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. J. Byrne, Mr. and Mrs. Clarke, Mr. and Mrs. T. Keane, Mr. and Mrs. J. Mooney, Mr. and Mrs. J. Mulvey, Mr. and Mrs. C. Maguire, Mr. and Mrs. Christie, Mr. and Mrs. T. Molloy, Mr. and Mrs. T. Ward, Mr. T. Lonergan, Mr. Liam Woods, Mr. J. Doyle, Mr. R. McClean, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Kendrick, Mr. and Mrs. J. Bolger, Mr. and Mrs. B. Chambers, Miss Booth, Mrs. M. Crehan, Lieutenant C. O'Toole, Lieutenant M. McGrath, Lieutenant J. Brierton, Lieutenant P. Fruen, Dr. C. Nolan, Mr. A. Gillan.

Messrs. D. Conroy, E. McCourt, T. Gorevan, M. Butler, W. O'Regan, W. J. Hoey, A. Anderson, L. Dempsey, M. Byrne, P. Corwell, S. Burke, J. Power, M. Kane, S. Kane, C. Rafter, J. Colgan, M. Mooney, J. Hallahan, M. O'Brien, R. Parsons, P. Fagan, C. Fair, P. Coffey, J. Doran, W. O'Dea, G. Sinnott, P. Douglas, T. Mathews, A. McCorlick, R. Macken, L. Nevin, B. Carragher, G. E. Towers, Lieutenant N. Marsh, D. Hurding, M. Brooks, P. Fagan, D. Kelleher, J. Murray, P. Murray, C. Hallinan, T. Mathews, J. P. Moran, D. McConville, P. Bridgeman, L. Maguire, N. Breen, J. King, P. Kearns, M. J. Delaney, W Wilson, P. Delaney, N. Walker, H. McCracken, E. Langan, H. Moore, R. Hinds, M. McMahon, S. Rice, D. Rice, J. Barry, M. Hendrick, — Bergin, J. Hedigan, J. Grooms, J. Fitzgerald, Joe Fitzgerald, B. Walsh, M. Dockery.

The Misses E. Moloney, U. Byrne, L. O'Reilly, B. O'Doherty, C. Duff, M. O'Neill, B. Moran, M. Nolan, P. Corr, M. Donnelly, M. Caton, P. Resin, J. Smith, W. Kinsella, L. Mulhall, M. Mulhall, M. Farrell, W. Burke, E. O'Callaghan, E. Nevin, B. Farrell, W. Kelly, K. O'Donoghue, B. O'Neill, — Glennon, N. Fegan, M. Conroy, E. Pender, L. Fox, B. Morgan, D. O'Connell, N. Fox, G. Dargan, W. Ennis, R. Carroll, K. O'Regan, S. Sutton, G. Mangan, B. Hogan, A. O'Rourke, R. McNamee, S. McNamee, B. O'Reilly, M. Devane, K. Blackburne, C. Byrne, P. Moore, M. Brogan, E. Tallon, D. Cooney, B. O'Byrne, J. O'Connor, M. Byrne, B. Burke, M. Burke, M. Bolger, M. Leahy, M. Hendrick, R. Murphy, P. Corr, M. O'Sullivan, R. O'Meara, K. Flynn, M. Freyn, M. Fitzpatrick, M. Bridgeman, M. Rice, N. Joyce, M. Joyce, N. Harrington, M. Byrne, L. Lambert, B. Lambert, M. Brooks, M. Kelly, B. Murray, F. Murray, Mrs. O'Toole.

DUBLIN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

The A.R.P. Committee of the Dublin Chamber of Commerce have placed a large scale map of the City of Dublin in the Chamber. This map indicates the position of control rooms, message centres, fire appliance depots, and wardens' posts, etc. It is suggested that members of the Chamber should inspect this map forthwith, and come to arrangement regarding the formation of fire watchers to protect their property.

Classes for practical instruction in fighting fires have been formed, and commence on Tuesday next, the 18th February, at the Fire Brigade centres.

WHY ORANGES ARE DEAR

THE arrival of a cargo of six million oranges in Dublin raised prospects in the minds of the man in the street, and especially of the housewife, of oranges not only being available, but available at a reasonable price. Early in the week the price of the fruit in such shops as had stocks was sixpence or sevenpence per orange. It was hoped that with the fresh arrivals the price would fall at least fifty per cent., but in practice that has not been the case.

In the hope of eliciting some explanation of the high prices still maintained, an *Irish Times* representative sought the views of some leading retail merchants.

Mr. G. D. Findlater, of the firm of Messrs. A. Findlater and Co., pointed out that oranges were a perishable commodity. The oranges which arrived recently have, he said, been a long time in transit. These cargoes do not come as quickly as in peace times. If you buy a case of, say, 20 dozen you may only get about 15 dozen saleable oranges—that is, you would have a loss of from 25 to 30 per cent., and, of course, in the sale of the others the cost has to be covered. Even after the fruit has been sold in the market there is delay before the retailer gets the fruit to hand for sale in his shop, and the fruit is inclined to deteriorate quickly.

As to the statement that oranges from the recently-arrived cargo could be sold on the streets at twopence or threepence each, Mr. Findlater was of the opinion that these would be very small oranges, which would run to about 500 in a package. That class of orange, he thought, was mostly sold to street traders and small shops.

Mr. Findlater also drew attention to the fact that the oranges which arrived were mostly sweet or dinner oranges, and not the bitter or marmalade orange. Some marmalade oranges did arrive, but these had been distributed to the jam manufacturers. He thought that was the right thing to do, as it helped the manufacturers to give employment.

BUYERS LOST THEIR HEADS

An illuminating explanation of the position was given by Mr. J. P. Knowles, head of Messrs. Knowles and Son, the well-known fruit retailers. When a boat's cargo was sold on Monday there was hardly an orange to be had in the City of Dublin. A room full of excited buyers went off their heads and paid silly prices for the oranges. However, although the market was bare over the weekend, it was not left dependent solely on this cargo, because on the following morning another steamer arrived, with over a thousand cases of Californian oranges. Even the people who had ordered these oranges on the Californian boat did not know she was arriving so soon, and they paid high prices like the others for the Spanish oranges.

Spanish oranges were on sale, said Mr. Knowles, at prices ranging from 2s. 9d. to 5s. a dozen, according to size and quality. He had no doubt that cheaper oranges could be got.

As an instance of how prices soared, Mr. Knowles said that the 48 cases of Valencia oranges, which were not part of the consignment of 2,500, were sold at from £5 to £7 15s. per case, although their price normally would have been about 40s. a case. These cases cost about 22s. f.o.b. in Spain.

BUILDING CONTRACTOR SENT TO PRISON

COUNTY WICKLOW FIRE CLAIM

John J. Doyle, building contractor, Harold's Cross, Dublin, who was convicted in the Central Criminal Court last Wednesday of having attempted to obtain from the Commercial Union Assurance Co., Ltd., sums of £300 and £800 by falsely pretending that furniture, household effects, building materials and house fittings had been destroyed or damaged by fire at Scurlock's Leap, Manor Kilbride, Co. Wicklow, was sentenced to seven months' imprisonment.

Mr. Justice Maguire said that but for the good character given Doyle by Inspector P. J. Bermingham, Civic Guard, and his previous good record, he would have imposed a severe sentence.

BRAY DISTRICT COURT

CHARGES OF LARCENY

(BEFORE MR. LIAM PRICE.)

Mathew P. Lyons (31), married, said to be a native of Gorey, County Wexford, was charged with a series of offences of larceny.

Detective-Sergeant J. Kelly said that when he arrested Lyons at Kilpedder on 8th February Lyons said that he was at present at Ballykinlar, County Down. He had been on a visit to his wife and children at Gorey and admitted the charges.

Lyons said that he had been in continuous trouble from the age of 14. He had returned to Gorey to bring his wife and family to Northern Ireland. He got a drop of drink and did not know what he was doing.

On Lyons's undertaking to go to Northern Ireland, a suspensory sentence of six months was imposed—not to be enforced if he kept his undertaking.

OBITUARY

MAUD LADY CLANMORRIS

Maud Lady Clanmorris, who died yesterday at her residence, Bangor Castle, Co. Down, aged 82, had been in failing health for the past two years. She was the only child and heiress of the late Robert E. Ward, D.L., of Bangor Castle, and it was through him that she inherited the Bangor Estate. Her grandfather, Michael Edward Ward, Minister Plenipotentiary at Dresden, married Lady Matilda Stewart, daughter of the first Marquess of Londonderry, and sister of the famous Viscount Castlereagh. Her husband, who was the fifth Baron, died in 1916. There were five sons and two daughters of the marriage, and all the sons served in the Great War. Lady Clanmorris was a benefactress of Bangor, taking a deep interest in its social, charitable and philanthropic life. She was an accomplished musician, and was deeply interested in the musical life of the borough.

MR. JOHN FREDERICK OGILVY

The death occurred on Thursday last at 21 Lower Baggot street, Dublin, of Mr. John Frederick Ogilvy, aged 73. Mr. Ogilvy was a Bachelor of Arts of Trinity College, Dublin, and had practised as a barrister for many years in Dublin. He was a son of the late Alexander Ogilvy, of Grafton street, and in 1899 went to South Africa to take part in the Boer War as a member of the South Irish Horse—or Lord Longford's Horse, as it was known. He was wounded in action, but returned to become a well-known member of the Dublin Bar. He was also a prominent member of the University Club. For some years he had ceased to practise law.

NEW CIVIC GUARD SUPERINTENDENT

Iris Oifigiuil of last night announces that Inspector Jeremiah Sullivan has been appointed to the rank of Superintendent of the Garda Siochana as from 12th February.

G.S. RAILWAY MALE CLERKSHIPS.
Next Exam., 16th April. Last Exam., 2 Successes, including First Place.—McGUIRE'S COLLEGE, Gardiner's row, Dublin.
—(Advt.)

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FAR EAST

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NEW JAPANESE ENVOY TO U.S.

BETTER UNDERSTANDING DESIRED

PRESS ASSOCIATION.

WASHINGTON, Friday.

President Roosevelt, receiving the new Japanese Ambassador to Washington, Admiral Nomura, to-day welcomed the Admiral's assurance that he is resolved to "achieve a better understanding" and thereby to preserve "the peace of the Pacific."

The President noted, it is stated, the serious strain in Japanese-American relations.

Admiral Nomura was presenting his credentials to President Roosevelt. He was accompanied to the White House by Mr. Cordell Hull, the United States Secretary of State.

During the interview Admiral Nomura referred to "recent developments" in Japanese-American relations, which had unfortunately been the cause of considerable concern on both sides of the ocean.

PEACE IN THE PACIFIC

"It is necessary now more than ever," he added, "to bring about a better understanding of each other's position, in order to secure the interests and well-being of our two nations, thereby preserving peace in the Pacific and maintaining the traditional friendship between us."

He expressed the hope that he would have the President's co-operation in this aim.

President Roosevelt, in his reply, agreed that there were developments in relations between the United States and Japan "which cause concern"

"I welcome your assurance," he added, "that, in the interests of the traditional friendship between the two countries and of the well-being between the American and Japanese peoples, you are resolved to do all you can to bring about a better understanding."

UNITED STATES SENATE

"CLOSED SESSION" URGED

Yesterday the Republican, Senator Wiley, of Wisconsin, suggested that the United States Senate hold a "closed Executive session" next week to receive from Mr. Hull and his assistants "a report on world conditions."

Senator Wiley declared that there should be a "realistic appraisal of our whole American-British relations" in connection with the debate on the Aid Britain Bill.—(Associated Press.)

U.S. CITIZENS IN FAR EAST

PREVIOUS WARNINGS REPEATED

Asked whether the new warning to Americans to leave the Far East was merely a routine repetition or the result of increased gravity in the situation in the Pacific, President Roosevelt, at his Press Conference yesterday, according to a Press Association telegram from Washington, said it was a repetition of previous warnings. He advised his questioner to refer to the State Department before using such adjectives as "increased gravity"

Americans in Peiping, it was stated there yesterday, received no Consular circular about evacuation, but were asked to call at the Embassy building, where they were given a warning similar to that issued to United States citizens at Shanghai and elsewhere. The number of Americans still in Peiping is about 470, excluding the Marine Embassy guard, while there are some 270 British subjects in the city.

DUTCH EAST INDIES

The Consul-General of the United States in Batavia yesterday denied that he had advised American citizens to leave the Netherlands East Indies, a telegram from Batavia stated. He said that he had not received any instructions to this effect from Washington. The instructions issued yesterday apparently apply only to China and Japan.

More than 500 Americans live in the Netherlands East Indies.

Two thousand Americans in Hong Kong have been advised by the United States Consul-General to leave the colony if their presence there is not essential. The advice, it is pointed out, is not meant to be alarmist, and the Consul-General, says the State Department, "makes no assumption of a situation of acute physical danger to American nationals being imminent."

WHERE IT PAYS TO BE FINED

BLACK-OUT OFFENDERS PROFIT IN BELFAST

Black-out offenders who were given nominal fines, and then awarded 10s. costs by the Belfast Stipendiary Magistrate, yesterday found themselves in pocket on leaving the Court

The anomaly arose in consequence of a recent decision of the magistrate to adjourn over 500 black-out summonses, after warning the City Council that he would award 10s. costs in each case, because the congestion was due to lack of court accommodation.

Corporation officials, he said, were housed in palatial offices, while the public—their masters and paymasters—stood exposed to the weather to answer summonses.

More than 500 people and 200 police witnesses were packed in the Court yesterday, and many could not get in to the hearing, which went on all day.

Those who were fined less than 10s. and awarded costs find themselves in pocket.

The granting of costs, amounting to £250, against the Corporation in these black-out cases has caused a flutter among the civic authorities in the City Hall, says our Belfast Correspondent.

The whole matter is to come before the Police Committee of the Corporation, and even a special meeting of the City Council may be called to consider it.

PRICE OF EGGS REDUCED IN BRITAIN

The British Ministry of Food, under an Order to come into force on Monday, is reducing by 2s. 6d. per 120, or 3d. per dozen, the maximum prices for all categories of home-produced hen and duck eggs.

MATRICULATION.
Day Classes now working for next Exam.—SKERRY'S COLLEGE, Dublin.
—(Advt.)

DUBLIN INQUESTS

DEATH FROM EPILEPSY AND HEART FAILURE

A verdict of death from epilepsy and heart failure, following burns received while she was saying her prayers in her home on November 28 last, was returned at an inquest in St. Vincent's Hospital, Dublin, yesterday, by Dr. D. A. MacErlean, City Coroner, on Mary Grennell (31), Annavilla, Ranelagh, who died in the hospital on Wednesday last.

Joseph Grennell, her husband, said that he left his home at about 8.30 and returned shortly after 11. His wife told him that she had sustained burns while kneeling beside the fire saying her prayers.

The medical evidence was that the deceased woman suffered from epilepsy, and that death had been due to epilepsy and heart failure, accelerated by the burns.

LOCOMOTIVE INSPECTOR'S DEATH

The death of Patrick Morrissey (66), of 21 Great Western square, Dublin, a locomotive inspector, who was found lying injured on the railway track near the signal cabin at Ossory road on the night of January 20, was the subject of an inquest held yesterday by Dr D. A. MacErlean, City Coroner, in the Richmond Hospital.

Evidence was given that the deceased man was found on the line a few minutes after he had left the signal box at about 11 p.m When discovered he was suffering pain.

The Coroner said that Morrissey might have missed his footing while descending the steps leading from the cabin.

The medical evidence showed that Morrissey died from cardiac failure, due to chronic emphysema, accelerated by the injuries received when he fell.

A verdict of accidental death was returned.

AUCTION SALES

MESSRS. BATTERSBY AND CO.

To-day, in our auction columns, Messrs. Battersby and Co. announce some very attractive sales of freehold ground rents, investment property and private residences, to take place during the next few weeks. At their property salerooms on Thursday, 27th February, they will offer freehold ground rents amounting to £346 per annum, arising out of valuable business and residential property in Dublin City and suburbs, which will be offered in 15 lots. On the same date will be offered 144 Cabra road semi-detached modern house, and "Lindley," Garville road, Rathgar. Messrs. Battersby and Co.'s property sale on 13th March will include four lots of property—35 and 36 Annamoe road North Circular road, with possession; "Harbour View," Grand Canal place, let in four flats; and 125 Summerhill, extensive builder's yard; also on the same date, "Dunloe," Greystones detached residence whilst on a later date they will sell the antique furniture and unique collection of Waterford glass in this residence. Full details will be found in our advertising columns on the back page.

MESSRS. THOS. DOCKRELL, SONS AND CO.

On Wednesday next, the 26th inst., this firm will dispose of the house and furniture on the premises at 24 Ailesbury road, Ballsbridge. This house is semi-detached, non-basement, and well worth inspection. The house will be sold at 11.30 a.m., and the furniture immediately afterwards. On Thursday, 27th inst., they will hold their next property auction at their salerooms, South Great George's street at 1.15 p.m., when they will offer the following:—Lyndhurst, Temple Gardens, off Palmerston road. On Friday, 7th March, they will offer for sale by public auction, on the premises, 199 Upper Rathmines, the house and furniture.

MESSRS. ALLEN AND TOWNSEND.

This firm announces an important auction of well-secured ground rents in Dublin City totalling £416 1/9, to be sold in five convenient lots. The sale will be held at 11 St. Stephen's Green, on the 26th instant. The rents should command great interest, owing to the premier positions out of which they arise, and also to the security offered. This firm also announce that they have sold the well-known hotel, Cookstown House, Enniskerry.

MR. ALBERT MacARTHUR.

Mr. Albert MacArthur, The Housefinder, will sell, on the premises, on Wednesday next, 19th February, the substantial semi-detached residence, "Glenarm," 65 Brighton road, Rathgar, with the entire household furniture and 14 h.p. Vauxhall car. The sale of the furniture will commence at 12 o'clock, and the house will be offered at 1 o'clock. On Tuesday, 4th March, the Housefinder will offer No. 23 Northumberland road; detached bungalow, "Doddervale," Dodder road, Rathfarnham; £200 per annum from 2 city houses, 39 and 41 Upper Rutland street; 42 Oakley road, Ranelagh. For absolute sale, "Glenview," 111 Furry Park, off Howth road, Raheny, and, non-basement residence, 86 Leinster road, Rathmines. Further details appear in our advertising columns.

MESSRS. CORRIGAN AND CO.

A varied assortment of property is described in this firm's announcement of their forthcoming auction for Wednesday, 5th March, at 2.30, in their Grafton street salerooms. There are two property investments—one with part possession being 10 Tivoli terrace, East, Dun Laoghaire; shop and house at 7 Berkeley road (confiserie), entire let to one tenant. Next are two houses with full possession—"Ardaluinn," 103 Church avenue, by direction of the executors of the late P. McCormack, and a small house at 8 Richmond cottages. On Thursday, 6th March, at 12 o'clock, the entire collection of furniture and effects, on the premises, 103 Church avenue, will be sold by auction. The miscellaneous furniture, etc., will be on view day previous.

MR. W. J. HOLDEN AND SON.

As already advertised, Messrs. Holden will offer for auction, on Wednesday next, the conveniently-placed, compact residence, No. 150 North Strand road, with clear possession, to the purchaser. The auction, which takes place at the salerooms, 2 St. Andrew street, will commence at 1 o'clock sharp.

BUILDING CONTRACTS

The suggestion that future buliding contracts should be divided up among several contractors in order to absorb a greater number of unemployed men was made by the workers' representatives when a deputation from the Area Joint Council of the building industry discussed aspects of the building trade with Mr. P. J. Hernon, City Manager and Town Clerk, yesterday.

They also advocated the shortening of the periods allowed for the completion of building contracts.

The employers' representatives were Messrs. W. Thompson, J. Townley, J. Bolger, T. Dolan and E. Thompson (secretary), while the operatives were represented by Councillor Larkin, R. Morgan and T. Dunne (group secretary).

IRISH MANUFACTURERS

The annual general meeting of the Federation of Irish Manufacturers, Ltd., will be held at 3 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin, on Tuesday next. The Minister for Industry and Commerce will deliver an address at 4 p.m. The proceedings will commence at 11 a.m.

100 CHANCES OF WINNING £10,000
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This wonderful opportunity — 100 chances of winning £10,000, and at such a small outlay—is offered by the Pennypots Crossword which appears in this issue. The winner of this easy puzzle will receive 100 tickets in the current Red Cross Sweep, and will, therefore, have 100 chances of winning £10,000. The puzzle is very simple—you have to fill in only 16 letters, and that will take you but a few minutes. There is also an unlimited number of consolation awards for runners-up guaranteed. One entry costs only 2d.—and that 2d. may obtain for you all you desire in life . . . a fine house, car, luxury, security . . . for £10,000 can buy you a lot of things you only dream about now. Of course, those who would like to multiply their chances by four can do so by making four attempts for 6d. And if you really feel like it, you can send in as many entries as you want to. The competition closes on February 22.

NOTICE

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CONTRACTS.

TENDERS.

DONEGAL DISTRICT MENTAL HOSPITAL, LETTERKENNY.

NOTICE TO BUILDERS INVITING TENDERS.

The Committee of Management of the above Hospital will, on Monday, the 24th March, 1941, consider Tenders from competent Building Contractors for the Erection and Completion of Twelve (12) Houses, in accordance with the Plans and Specifications prepared by the undersigned.

Plans, Specifications and Tender Forms may be obtained on application to the undersigned, or to the Clerk of the Mental Hospital, on payment of £5, which will be returned on receipt of bona-fide Tenders.

Plans, Specification and Form of Contract may be inspected at the offices of the Architect, or with the Clerk of the Mental Hospital.

Sealed Tenders, on the prescribed form (others will not be considered) must be left in sealed envelopes with the Resident Medical Superintendent, Mental Hospital, Letterkenny, County Donegal, not later than 11 a.m. on MONDAY, the 24th MARCH, 1941, and should be endorsed, "Tenders for Houses."

The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.

Contractors tendering must submit the names, addresses and descriptions of two solvent sureties or particulars of a Fidelity Corporation willing to enter into a Bond for the full amount of the Contract.

(By Order.)
CHARLES V. McLAUGHLIN, A.I.A.A., Architect, Letterkenny, County Donegal.

DUBLIN CORPORATION.

TO ACCOUNTANTS, VALUERS AND OTHERS.

Tenders are invited for taking Stock as at 31st March, 1941, in the Institutions under the control of the Public Health Department.

PLOUGHING AND HARROWING.

The Dublin Corporation invite tenders for the above work at Crooksling Sanatorium, Brittas, Co. Dublin.

DIRECTIONS.

Full particulars and tender forms may be obtained at the Public Health Department, Municipal Buildings, Cork Hill, Dublin.

Tenders, enclosed in sealed envelopes, and endorsed "Tender for Stocktaking, etc.," or "Tender for Ploughing and Harrowing," as the case may be, should be addressed to the City Manager and Town Clerk, Finance and General Purposes Section, City Hall.

Tenders for Ploughing should reach that office not later than 12 o'clock noon on Saturday, 22nd February, 1941, and the tenders for Stocktaking should be lodged not later than 12 o'clock noon on Saturday, 1st March, 1941.

P. J. HENNON,
City Manager and Town Clerk.

Dublin, 14th February, 1941.

LEGAL NOTICES.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
In the Goods of

JOHN PHILIP BUTLER, late of "Clonard," Killiney, Co. Dublin, and formerly of 16-17 College Green, Dublin, Stockbroker, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that written particulars of all claims against the estate of the above-named Deceased, who died on the 24th November, 1940, should be furnished on or before the 10th March, 1941, to the undersigned Solicitors for Robert McGregor, St. Amond, of 34-35 College Green, Dublin, Bank Official, the Syndic lawfully appointed of the National Bank, Limited, whose registered office is situate at 13 Old Broad street, London, to whom Letters of Administration (with the Will of the said Deceased annexed) of the personal estate of the said Deceased were granted forth of the Principal Probate Registry, High Court of Justice in Eire, on 5th February, 1941. And Notice is hereby further given that the assets of the said Deceased will be distributed immediately after the said 10th March, 1941, having regard only to the claims of which particulars shall have been furnished as above required. Dated this 14th February, 1941.

RYAN and O'BRIEN, Solicitors for the said Administrator, 35 Stephen's Green, N., Dublin.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
In the Goods of

WILLIAM GLOVER, late of Beechwood, Roscommon Deceased.

All persons having claims against the estate of the above-named deceased who died on 12th September, 1940, are requested to furnish particulars thereof forthwith to the undersigned Solicitor for the Executrix.

Dated this 13th day of February, 1941.
FREDERICK J. WRIGHT, Solicitor, Naas, County Kildare.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
In the Goods of

JOHN GLOVER late of Fohanna Hall, Ballintubber, County Roscommon, and Carradoonan, Castlerea, County Roscommon, Farmer Deceased.

All persons having claims against the estate of the above-named deceased who died on the 18th day of January, 1941, are requested to furnish particulars thereof forthwith to the undersigned Solicitor for the Executor.

Dated this 13th day of February, 1941.
FREDERICK J. WRIGHT, Solicitor, Naas County Kildare.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

MARY HORGAN, late of Hazeldene, Castleknock, in the County of Dublin, Spinster, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vic., Cap. 35, that all persons claiming to be Creditors of or otherwise to have any claims or demands against the Estate of the above-named Deceased who died on the 24th day of September, 1940 are hereby required on or before the 5th day of March, 1941, to furnish (in writing) particulars of such claims or demands to the undersigned Solicitors for David Horgan, the Executor to whom Probate was on the 29th day of January 1941, granted forth of the Principal Probate Registry of the High Court of Justice in England, and Notice is hereby given that after the said 5th day of March, 1941, the Executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which notice shall have been given as above required.

Dated this 5th day of February, 1941.
WM C. HOGAN & SONS, Solicitors for Executor 3 Lower Merrion street, Dublin.

IN THE GOODS OF
JOHN COLCLOUGH, late of Borabeen, Hill-of-Down, Co. Meath, Farmer, Deceased.

All persons having claims against the estate of the above-named deceased, who died on 16th September, 1940, are requested to forward particulars of same (in writing) to the undersigned Solicitor for the intending Administratrix.

Dated this 6th day of February, 1941.
LAURENCE J. O'NEILL, Solicitor for the intending Administratrix, 21 Molesworth street, Dublin.

DISTRIBUTION OF GAS MASKS

Respirator distribution has now been completed in all six groups of Dublin Area No. 11, which comprises the district from Clontarf Railway Bridge to Kilbarrack lane. A few residents still not supplied may receive respirators by attending at Area Headquarters, Vernon avenue, on next Wednesday or Thursday from 7.30 to 9.30 p.m.

NO GUILTY INTENT

TRIAL OF MARINE OFFICERS STOPPED

JUDGE'S TRIBUTE TO THEIR BRAVERY

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE M. MAGUIRE.)

ON the suggestion of the jury, in the Central Criminal Court, Dublin, yesterday, the trial was stopped in which three officers of the Irish Marine Service—William J. Hollingsworth, Patrick J. Meskel and Thomas P. Barry, of the Fort Rannoch, were charged with conspiracy to commit larceny, and with having stolen articles valued at about £1,000 from the Yugoslav ship, Cetvrti, belonging to the master and members of the crew.

When the case for the prosecution concluded, Mr. J. M. FitzGerald, K.C., who, with Mr. F. D. McCarthy Morrogh (instructed by Mr. B. M. O'Meara, Cork), defended, said that he intended to apply for a direction, but asked that Commandant Shaw, Commanding Officer Ordnance, Collins Barracks, Cork, and Captain Leahy, Collins Barracks, Cork, be called to give evidence.

Commandant Shaw said that while on board the Fort Rannoch, at the Blasket Islands he heard Lieutenant Hollingsworth telling the men to put some stuff removed from the Cetvrti in the boatswain's stores. While sitting in the Fort Rannoch on the following day he heard Lieutenant Hollingsworth ask Officer Cotter if cigarettes had been brought on board from the Yugoslav vessel. Cotter replied that there had been and that they had been given to the men. Lieutenant Hollingsworth was very annoyed and ordered the cigarettes to be collected immediately and brought to him, saying that they were State property and should be kept under his control. The cigarettes were parcelled up, and the lieutenant took them away with him.

INSTRUCTIONS TO SEARCH VESSEL

Captain Leahy, officer commanding the sub-dépôt of the Marine and Coast-Watching Service, said that when he arrived on the ship he told Lieutenant Hollingsworth that he had instructions to search the vessel, as a complaint had been made that certain articles had been removed from the Cetvrti to the Fort Rannoch. He immediately said: "Yes; we have articles on board here, and they are quite safe." Superintendent O'Shea and Captain Corrigan were present when Lieutenant Hollingsworth said that they would be willing to return the stuff to the Cetvrti when she would be safely anchored. Superintendent O'Shea, Captain Corrigan and himself had a consultation after Lieutenant Hollingsworth was told that the matter would have to be reported. He (witness) could not see any reason for reporting it, and said that it was a pity that the thing arose. Subsequently witness was informed that Colonel Costello had given instructions that all the officers were to be placed under arrest, and that witness was to remain on board. Witness refused to carry out that order, and said to Captain Corrigan that it was too serious a matter. Witness called Colonel Costello on the telephone, and when he returned to the boat Superintendent O'Shea went to Valencia, and Captain Corrigan and he went aboard the Cetvrti. When Meskel and Barry were told that the Fort Rannoch was under arrest they were "absolutely upside down." They were indignant, and could not understand why. Lieutenant Meskel thought the whole thing was a joke.

ABSOLUTELY BONA-FIDE

Mr. Justice Maguire—From your investigation, were these men acting *bona-fide* in the whole matter?

Witness—Absolutely, my lord.

Did you find any of this property on their persons at all?—No.

Had you any evidence of any attempt being made to dispose of the property?—None whatever.

Or to put it to their own use?—No; except in the case of the cigarettes, and I can quite understand that.

Mr. Fitzgerald then asked for a direction, and said that, if necessary, he would call the accused men, although he thought it was only waste of time.

Mr. M. J. Connolly, K.C., who, with Mr. T. J. Donovan (instructed by the Chief State Solicitor), prosecuted, said that in view of the complaints made, the facts had been placed before the court, and the State was only anxious that justice should be done.

When asked by the Judge if the jury had anything to say, the foreman said: "We find the accused not guilty."

MERELY A MISTAKE

Mr. Justice Maguire said that the jury could make a recommendation, and he could act on it. He was satisfied that there was not sufficient evidence to submit to the jury, and any guilty intent to steal the property or to take it with the intention of personally depriving the owners of it. The circumstances had been fully examined, and it was clear that if anything irregular had happened it was merely a mistake, and certainly would not be taken in the light that it was a crime. The officers had behaved with great bravery in saving that valuable ship, which, even in Valencia Harbour, was subject to the grave perils of the sea. It was only through fine seamanship it had been saved at all. In the circumstances he would not be justified in allowing the case to go to the jury, and he was glad that the jury had volunteered a suggestion that the case should be stopped. He directed that the three accused men be discharged.

The men stood to attention and saluted before leaving the dock.

Earlier in the proceedings Superintendent O'Shea said that Lieut. Hollingsworth had strongly objected to allowing the Yugoslav crew aboard the Cetvrti to compile a list of property, as that would impair a claim for salvage. On December 19 Lieut. Barry had given him a copy of a report he had made to the offer commanding the Fort Rannoch. The report stated that on December 4, with members of the crew of the Fort Rannoch, Lieut. Barry boarded the Cetvrti at the orders of their commanding officer. They struck the Yugoslav ensign and hoisted the tricolour with due ceremony. There were four inches of water in the engine room, and the indications were that the vessel had been abandoned with full fires burning and with a dangerous insufficiency of water in the boilers. The towing rope had given away three times when steam was raised in the Cetvrti, and she proceeded under her own power. Subsequently a gale came on, and, with every indication of a worsening of the weather, Lieut. Hollingsworth, O.C., ordered the ship's papers and valuable equipment to be transferred to the Fort Rannoch before the latter vessel went to a safe anchorage. He had transferred articles which he thought a pity should be lost in the coming night.

The report gave further evidence of the difficulties they met with in bringing the Cetvrti to a safe anchorage.

SCHOOLS' RUGBY

PORT APPOINTMENT. — Commander A. J. O'Brien Twohig, who has been appointed Acting Harbour Master of the Port of Dublin.

A LINE-OUT during yesterday's Leinster Schools' Rugby Cup tie between St. Andrew's and Castleknock Colleges, at Donnybrook.

MR. F. R. A. MacCORMICK, who lectured on "Camera-craft" at the Royal Dublin Society yesterday.

A GROUP taken at the Dublin Insurance Orphanage and Benevolent Fund dance. Seated (from left): Mr. E. W. Garland, Mrs. O'Callaghan, Mr. A. E. O'Callaghan (President, Insurance Society of Ireland), Miss E. Hart, and Mr. H. Mooney (President, Dublin Insurance Society).

MEMBERS of An Oige, who took part in the pageant display at Thursday night's ceilidhe.

THE CHAIRMAN of the Irish Red Cross Society (Mr. Justice Conor Maguire) receiving an ambulance yesterday from Mr. John J. Fagan on behalf of the Irish Theatre and Cinema Association. Also included are:—Mr. W. McNally, Mr. M. Elliman, Mr. W. E. Wylie, K.C.; Mr. L. Ging, Mr. A. Elliman, Mr. P. J. Whelan, Mr. G. Ellis, Mr. P. J. Gallagher and Col. McKinney.

MESSRS. CLERY'S CASE

ORDER FOR DISCOVERY

(BEFORE THE MASTER OF THE HIGH COURT.)

In the action of Messrs. Clery and Co., Ltd., Lower O'Connell street, Dublin, against Eustace John Shott, chartered accountant, 39 Dame street, Dublin, and Denis Guiney, draper, 79 Talbot street, Dublin, an application was made on behalf of Mr. Guiney for an order for discovery of documents by the plaintiffs.

The Master directed that discovery should be made by each party to the other, and remarked that he did not think that there could be a trial of the action until next term.

Mr. T. G. Marnan (instructed by Messrs. E. and G. Stapleton) appeared for Messrs. Clery; Mr. T. V. Davy (instructed by Messrs. J. L. Burke and Co.) for Mr. Guiney; and Mr. Vaughan Wilson (instructed by Messrs. Whitney, Moore and Keller) appeared for Mr. Shott.

CORK FARMER AND COURT ORDER

AN ORDER FOR COMMITTAL

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE HANNA.)

An order was made committing John Carver, farmer, Inchnagree, Doneraile, County Cork, to prison for failing to obey an order of the Court directing him to pay alimony at the rate of 25s. a week to his wife, Mary Carver, Gormlee, Carrignavar, County Cork, pending the hearing of her action for divorce on the ground of cruelty, which, it was stated, had been granted last July.

Mr. W. O'B. FitzGerald instructed by Mr. John K. Coakley), who appeared for Mrs. Carver, said that when Mrs. Carver's petition was granted in July last the arrears amounted to £52 5s.

An unusual feature of the case is that another man already has been returned for trial on the same charge—namely, the manslaughter of Josie Cotter, by knocking her down with a car at Dishop's Island, Watergrasshill, County Cork, in November last.

Mr. D. Casey, State Solicitor, who prosecuted, told the court that this was the case in which Patrick Curley was charged with manslaughter, and in which depositions were taken before the justice. Curley was returned for trial on his own statement, that he was the driver of the car with which the unfortunate little child was killed at Watergrasshill. After informations were received, summary charges under the Road Traffic Act were proceeded with against the accused man, Curley, and when he came up as a witness, he swore that he was not driving the car at all at the time of the accident, but that it was then being driven by the present accused man, Anthony Conway.

On this evidence, he said, the Justice directed the issue of a bench warrant for the arrest of Conway on a charge of manslaughter, and adjourned the summary cases pending the result of the criminal proceedings. Now they came before him on the manslaughter charge against Conway. The depositions in the present case would be more or less a repetition of those already taken in the case against Patrick Curley.

Among to-day's witnesses was Patrick Curley, who admitted having stated that he was the driver, but now said that he had made that statement at Conway's request. He now declared that Conway was the driver.

The further hearing was adjourned.

MANSLAUGHTER CHARGE

SINGULAR DEVELOPMENT IN CORK CASE

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

CORK, Friday.

Arising out of the death of a school-girl, who sustained fatal injuries when, on her way to school with some companions, she was knocked down by a motor car, a charge of manslaughter was brought against Anthony Conway, Convent View, Tallow, County Waterford, at a special court in Cork to-day.

Fatal 'Bus Accident.—Harry Byford, a young man, of 13 Romans street, Cork, received fatal injuries when he was knocked down by a 'bus at South Terrace, Cork, last night. He was dead on admission to the South Infirmary.

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PUBLIC NOTICES.

SHAREHOLDERS' PROTECTION ASSOCIATION,
GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY (I.).
THE ANNUAL MEETING
WILL BE HELD AT THE
GRAND CENTRAL HOTEL, BELFAST,
ON
WEDNESDAY NEXT, 19th FEBRUARY, 1941,
AT 2.30 P.M.
ALL SHAREHOLDERS ARE INVITED TO ATTEND.
FRED STOREY, Hon. Secretary.

THE INCORPORATED SOCIETY FOR PROMOTING PROTESTANT SCHOOLS IN IRELAND.
AN EXAMINATION FOR
JUNIOR FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIPS AND ASSISTED PLACES,
FOR BOYS AND GIRLS,
WHO ARE MEMBERS OF THE CHURCH OF IRELAND, AND WHO SHALL HAVE REACHED THE AGE OF 11 AND SHALL NOT HAVE EXCEEDED THE AGE OF 13 YEARS ON THE 1st AUGUST, 1941, WILL BE HELD ON
WEDNESDAY, 28th MAY, 1941.
SCHOLARSHIPS WILL BE TENABLE IN THE INCORPORATED SOCIETY'S SCHOOLS (Boys and Girls), AND WILSON'S HOSPITAL, MULTYFARNHAM (Boys only).
Particulars may be had on application to the Secretary, Rev. W. J. MAYNE, 48 Kildare street, Dublin. C.17.

BRITISH-ISRAEL LECTURES,
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TUESDAY, 18th:
"Where Are We To-day," at 8 p.m.
WEDNESDAY, 19th:
"The Kingdom Parables," at 3 p.m.
"Where Are We To-day," at 8 p.m.
THURSDAY, 20th:
Lantern Lecture. "The Gates," at 8 p.m.
FRIDAY, 21st:
"Divine Plan for New Order," at 8 p.m.
SATURDAY, 22nd:
"The Modern Sennacherib," at 8 p.m.
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SOUTHERN CHURCH MISSION TO BALLYMACARRETT, BELFAST.
ANNUAL MEETING,
WEDNESDAY NEXT, 19th FEBRUARY, 1941,
At 5 p.m.
In ST. ANDREW'S PAROCHIAL HALL, SUFFOLK STREET.
Chairman:
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Speakers:
The Very Rev. the Dean of Down, M.A.; Rev. Denis R. C. Hilliard, B.A.; Rev. Malcolm F. Graham, B.A.

GREAT SOUTHERN RAILWAYS.
EXAMINATION FOR MALE CLERKSHIPS.

Notice is hereby given that a Competitive Examination for Male Clerkships will be held in Dublin on Wednesday, 16th April, 1941.

The Examination will be open to all persons ordinarily resident in Ireland, desiring to compete, provided the Candidate is not under 16 years of age or over 19 years of age on the date of the Examination, and produces references as to character to the satisfaction of the Company.

The Candidates will be examined in the following subjects:—

(1)	Irish	200 Marks
(2)	English	200 Marks
(3)	Mathematics	300 Marks
(4)	Geography	200 Marks
(5)	Handwriting and Orthography	100 Marks

Application of Candidate, together with Registrar's Certificate of Birth, two testimonials as to character, and an entrance fee of 10/-, must be sent to the undersigned so as to reach him not later than WEDNESDAY, 12th March, 1941.

Application Forms and Regulations as to the appointment of Male Clerks, embodying the Syllabus of the Examination etc., may be obtained on applying to the undersigned.

H. S. COE,
Secretary.

Kingsbridge Station, Dublin,
February, 1941.

PRESBYTERIAN ASSOCIATION,
16 St. Stephen's Green.
MONDAY EVENING NEXT, at 8.
LECTURE:
"THE STUDENT CHRISTIAN MOVEMENT AND THE CHURCH IN IRELAND."
Rev. DONALD KENNEDY, B.A.
Admission—Members free. Visitors 1/-.
THURSDAY EVENING NEXT, at 8.
LITERARY AND DEBATING SOCIETY.
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THAT POVERTY PREVAILS TO AN ENORMOUS EXTENT IN THE CITY OF DUBLIN.
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Workman Returns to Racing

Red Cross Horses Engaged at Leopardstown

Frequent trains from Harcourt street.

THE shortage of petrol need not cause any inconvenience to visitors to Leopardstown this afternoon, as there will be a frequent train service from Harcourt Street Station to the course. The Ranelagh Handicap Steeplechase will be a particularly interesting race in view of the fact that

Tote Double on Fourth and Fifth Races.

twelve of the fourteen runners hold engagements in the Red Cross Steeplechase, the weights for which have now been published. Workman's reappearance will add considerably to the attractiveness of the race. Swindon Glory, who has not run since finishing second to The Gripper in the last Red Cross Steeplechase, is bound to be a strong contender, and Yeoman, despite a 7lb. penalty, also should make a bold bid, if this be the race chosen for him.

Yeoman is declared also for the Sandyford Steeplechase, but likely will run for the longer distance race. West Point here appears to hold an outstanding chance, as his Baldoyle race should have brought him on a lot. The unlucky Sunny Tol at last may succeed in getting his head in front in the Stand Maiden Hurdle, in which Avion also should run well. Selections:—

Stand Hurdle—**Sunny Tol.**
Scalp Hurdle—**Baybush.**
Milltown Steeplechase—**Golden View II.**
Sandyford Steeplechase—**West Point.**
Ranelagh Steeplechase—**Swindon Glory.**
Corinthian Flat—**Knocknagoran.**

TOTE DOUBLE:
West Point and **Swindon Glory.**

CURRAGH SELECTIONS

Stand Hurdle—**Dead Level.**
Scalp Hurdle—**Baybush.**
Milltown Steeplechase—**Golden View II.**
Sandyford Steeplechase—**West Point.**
Ranelagh Steeplechase—**St. Martin.**
Corinthian Plate—**Damara.**

2.30—STAND MAIDEN HURDLE RACE of 100 sovs. Second 15 sovs. third 5 sovs. 1½ m. Age st. lb.
OCHILTREE (Mr. M. Arnott)......Owner 6 11 7
DESIRE (Lady H. Nugent)........Arnott a 11 7
DEAD LEVEL (Capt. Reid Walker) O'Ferrall a 11 7
MISS FRANCO (Mr John Byrne) Maxwell 5 11 4
GLOUCESTER (Mr. W. R. Lysaght) D. Rogers 5 11 4
CALEDONIAN (Mr T. Rogers) D. Rogers 5 11 4
CLONBERN (Mr. Michael McDonough) Parkinson 4 10 10
PHILIPPIAN (Mr. Jos. McGrath) Collins 4 10 10
FERBANE (Mr J. J. Parkinson) Owner 4 10 10
YOUNG STAR (Mr. D. Frame) W. Byrne 4 10 10
NEVER NO MORE (Mr. J. F. Sutherland) T. W. Dreaper 5 10 9
SUNNY TOL (Mrs. A. Gill)........Flynn 6 10 9
FALCARRAGH (Mr. J. A Mangan) Owner 5 10 9
GOLD EMBLEM (Miss Dorothy Paget) C. A. Rogers 5 10 9
DRUMCAW (Mr. J. Corbett) Brabazon 6 10 9
GLENAPP (Mr. A. Barry) Sleator, jun. 4 10 5
KINGSTON GORSE (Mr. J. S. Davies) D. Rogers 4 10 5
AVION (Mr. E. V. Kelly).........Farrell 4 10 5
ARMOY (Miss A. Wall) H. T. O'Neill 4 10 5
Above are declared runners.

14 Ochiltree. Carried 8-10 when fourth of 16 to Lady of Devon (7-5), Curragh December (1m.). Carried 8-11 when winning 1½l., 2l. from Bold Maid (9-1) and Serpolette (7-3), Navan December (1m. 2f.).
00 Desire. See Sunny Tol.
00 Dead Level. Unplaced with 8-9 to Mill Boy (8-1), Curragh December (6f. 63yds.).
40 Miss Franco. See Never No More.
40 Gloucester. See Never No More.
40 Clonbern. Unplaced with 7-13 to The Gripper (8-5), Curragh October (1½m.).
10 Philippian. See Sunny Tol.
34 Ferbane. See Avion. Carried 10-11 when beaten 2½l., same by Empire Warrior (10-7) and Queer Spes (10-2), Naas January (1½m. hurdles). Avion (10-2) was fourth and Kingston Gorse (10-2) fifth of 11.
00 Young Star. See Sunny Tol.
33 Never No More. See Sunny Tol. Carried 10-7 when beaten 1½l. by the dead-heaters, Red Sale (11-2) and Pocket Money (10-2), Baldoyle January (1½m. hurdles). Miss Franco (11-3) and Gloucester (10-12) were unplaced.
22 Sunny Tol. Carried 10-7 when beaten 4l. by Point d'Atout (11-3), with Never No More (10-7) 1½l. behind, Baldoyle February (1½m. hurdles). Drumcaw (10-7) was fifth of 23 and Desire (11-7), Young Star (10-7) and Philippian (10-7) behind.
30 Gold Emblem. See Avion.
00 Drumcaw. See Sunny Tol.
00 Glenapp. See Armoy.
00 Kingston Gorse. See Ferbane.
42 Avion. Carried 10-5 when beaten 4l. by Lindsey (10-7), Naas February (1½m. hurdles). Ferbane (10-13) was fourth of 15 and Gold Emblem (10-2) behind. See Ferbane.
43 Armoy. Carried 11-0 when beaten 6l., 1½l. by Lavenham (11-7) and Baldonnell (11-9), Naas February (2m. flat). Glenapp (11-0) was unplaced.

3.0—SCALP HANDICAP HURDLE RACE of 100 sovs. Second 10 sovs. third 5 sovs. 1½ m. Age st. lb.
SENATOR (Capt Reid Walker) O'Ferrall a 12 2
BAYBUSH (Miss H. Ball)......Osborne a 11 5
ROCKLEIGH (Mr. J. A. Farrell) Owner 6 11 4
ALLANWOOD (Mrs. E. McGrath) Parkinson 5 10 11
KARIMAI (Mr. J. A. Mangan) Owner 6 10 10
HAPPY LARRY (Mrs. T. Hyde) T. Hyde a 10 6
FAIR VON (Lord Queenborough) C. A. Rogers 6 10 6
AVATEA (Mr. M. J. Fanning) Owner 6 10 4
AMORITE (Mr. M. Cleary)......Owner 6 10 1
PROSPECT LAD (7lb. ex.) (Mr. R. Loewenstein) ....C. Harty 6 10 1
BRIGHT EARL (Mr. Thomas Field) W. J. Byrne 6 10 0
LADYLOVE (Mr. G. F. Annesley) Wellesley 4 9 12
BIRTH (Mr. D. Malone)...........Owner 6 9 8
NEVER NO MORE (Mr. J. F. Sutherland) ....T. W. Dreaper 5 9 7
COOL AVON (Mr. R. Collen)......Owner a 9 7
TRACT (Sir Ulick Blake) W. J. Byrne a 9 7
Above are declared runners.

10 Senator. See Amorite. Carried 11-7 when winning 1½l.; ½l., from Fly By Night (10-12) and Avatea (9-8), Leopardstown, November (1½ m. hurdles). Rockleigh (10-9) was fourth of 17, and Fair Von (10-10) behind.
03 Baybush. Carried 11-3 when beaten short head by the dead-heaters, Walter's Pride (10-8) and Double Flush (9-12), Naas, January (2 m. hurdles). Happy Larry (10-11) was unplaced. See Amorite.
12 Rockleigh. Carried 11-2 when beaten 3l. by Blueberry (10-0), with Prospect Lad (9-10) 2l. behind. Naas, February (1½ m. hurdles). Allanwood (10-13) and Fair Von (10-10) were unplaced. Carried 11-12 when winning ½l.; 6l., from Blueberry (10-13) and Joyeuse Garde (10-12), Naas, January (1½ m. hurdles). Bright Earl (11-11), Prospect Lad (10-10) and Tract (10-7) were unplaced. Carried 11-5 when beaten 3½l. by Archduke II. (11-12), Leopardstown, December (2 m. hurdles). Allanwood (11-7), Karimai (11-5) and Happy Larry (11-3) were unplaced. See Senator.
00 Allanwood. See Rockleigh.
30 Karimai. See Rockleigh.
00 Happy Larry. See Baybush and Rockleigh.
00 Fair Von. See Rockleigh, Cool Avon and Amorite.

21 Amorite. Carried 9-2 when winning 3l.; same, from Avatea (10-1) and Prospect Lad (9-9), Leopardstown, December (1½ m. hurdles). Senator (11-13) and Fair Von (10-7) were unplaced. Carried 9-2 when beaten 1½l. by Baybush (10-11), Mullingar, November (1½ m. hurdles).
00 Bright Earl. Unplaced with 11-10 to Simple Song (10-9), Naas, February (2 m. hurdles). See Rockleigh.
01 Ladylove. Carried 11-0 when winning ½l.; 1l., from Avion (10-9) and H.M.S. Sturgeon (10-9), Leopardstown, December (1½ m. hurdles).
00 Birth. See Cool Avon.
31 Prospect Lad. Carried 10-2 when winning 2½l.; short head from Felwin (10-8) and Kildonan's Hope (11-11), Baldoyle, February (2 m. hurdles). See Rockleigh and Amorite.
33 Never No More. Carried 10-7 when beaten 4l., 1½l. by Point d'Atout (11-3) and Sunny Tol (10-7), Baldoyle February (1½m. hurdles). Carried 10-7 when beaten 1½l. by the dead-heaters, Red Sale (11-2) and Pocket Money (10-2), Baldoyle January (1½m hurdles).
00 Cool Avon. Carried 9-5 when fifth of 13 to Trance (9 11) Baldoyle January (1½m. hurdles). Fair Von (10-11) Birth (9-11) and Tract (9-7) were behind.
00 Tract. See Rockleigh and Cool Avon.

3.30—MILLTOWN MAIDEN STEEPLECHASE of 100 sovs. Second 15 sovs., third 5 sovs. 2 m. 175 yds. Age st. lb.
LARK HALL (Mr. C. Balding) Sleator, junior a 11 12
GOLDEN VIEW II. (Mr. T. P. Downes) Owner 6 11 12
GOLDEN JACK (Miss Dorothy Paget) C. A. Rogers 6 11 12
SWINDON BEAUTY (Mr. J. A. Mangan) Owner a 11 12
EYESIGHT (Capt. G. F. Dunne)...Osborne a 11 12
PRETTY USEFUL (Mrs. P. Dunne Cullinan) ....Gorey 5 11 7
EGMONT II (Mr Walter Dwyer)...Owner 5 11 7
H.M.S. STURGEON (Mrs. R. H. Walker) Walker 4 10 9
Above are declared runners.

03 Lark Hall. Carried 11-9 when beaten 10l., head, by Wavy Navy (11-9) and Inspector Wade (11-9), Limerick December (2m. 200yds. 'chase).
10 Golden View II. Fell at Leopardstown December ('chase). Won 2m. 2f. flat at Mullingar November.
32 Golden Jack. Carried 12-0 when beaten 12l. by The Croft (11-0) Baldoyle January (2m. 1f. 70yds. chase). Swindon Beauty (12-0) was unplaced. Carried 10-6 when beaten 3l., 8l., by Brown Admira (11-8) and Smerwick's Nephew (12-7), Leopardstown December (2m. 175yds. 'chase)
00 Swindon Beauty. Unplaced with 11-7 to Point d'Atout (11-3). Baldoyle February (1½m. hurdles). See Golden Jack.
0 Eyesight. Unplaced with 11-5 to Greek Minstrel (11-5), Punchestown (4m. 'chase).
04 Pretty Useful. Carried 11-0 when fourth of 11 to Derrygrath (11-5), Phœnix Park May (2m. flat)
30 Egmont II. Unplaced with 11-4 to Glenade (11-4), Naas February (2m. 40yds. 'chase).
03 H.M.S. Sturgeon. Carried 10-9 when beaten 1l., 1l. by Ladylove (11-0) and Avion (10-9), Leopardstown December (1½m. hurdles).

4.0—SANDYFORD HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE of 100 sovs. Second 10 sovs., third 5 sovs. 2½ m. Age st. lb.
WEST POINT (Mr. P. Dunne Cullinan) Arnott a 12 4
DOITAGAIN (Mr H. C. McNally) Walker a 12 0
YEOMAN (7lb. ex.) (Miss M. Preston) Purdon a 11 3
STEADY JACK (Miss H. Ball)...Osborne a 10 11
RADIO WAVE (Mr. L. T. Byrne) Owner a 10 7
IRISH WIT (Mr. R. Collen)......Owner a 10 1
THE CARD (Mr. C. J. O'Brien) H. Harty a 10 1
SWINDON LAD (Mr. J. A. Mangan) Owner a 10 0
Above are declared runners.

3 West Point. See Yeoman.
30 Doitagain. See Steady Jack. Carried 11-3 when beaten ¾l., 1½l. by Knockadroleen (12-7) and Dalmatian (10-2) Navan December (3m. 'chase).
01 Yeoman. Carried 10-0 when winning 1l., 3l. from Pulcher (10-7) and West Point (11-6) Baldoyle February (3m. 'chase). See Steady Jack.
22 Steady Jack. Carried 10-0 when beaten 2½l. by Astrom (11-1) Naas February (3m. 76yds. 'chase). Yeoman (10-1) was unplaced. Carried 10-9 when beaten 10l. by St. James's Gate (10-13) Leopardstown December (2½m. chase). Radio Wave (10-11) was fourth of 7. Doitagain (12-0) fell.
43 Radio Wave. Carried 10-3 when beaten 20l., 1½l. by Pantry (9-6) and Sawdust Caesar (9-9) Baldoyle January (2m. 2f. 'chase). See Steady Jack.
00 Irish Wit. Unplaced in flat races at Baldoyle May and Phœnix Park May. Unplaced with 11-0 to Slieve Bernagh (9-7) Dundalk April (2m. 200yds. ha...)
44 The Card. Carried 9-11 when fourth of 8 to Brown Admiral (10-9) Baldoyle February (2m. 1f. 70yds. 'chase).
00 Swindon Lad. Unplaced with 10-0 to Prospect Lad (10-2) Baldoyle February (2m hurdles).

4.30—RANELAGH HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE of 100 sovs. Second 10 sovs., third 5 sovs. 3 m. 100 yds. Age st. lb.
BEL ET BON (Capt. G. S. L. Whitelaw) Hartigan a 12 7
KNOCKADROLEEN (Miss B. Kearns) Kearns a 12 4
WORKMAN (Sir Alexander Maguire) Ruttle a 12 2
DRUMLARGIN (Mr. M. Cuddy) Ussher a 11 13
SWINDON GLORY (Mr. J. A. Mangan) Owner a 11 7
JOHN CHINAMAN (Miss Dorothy Paget) C. A. Rogers a 11 4
LAST MINUTE (Mrs. R. McCarthy) Keating a 10 13
ST. MARTIN (Miss M. O. Mathieson) Brabazon a 10 5
YEOMAN (7lb. ex.) (Miss M. Preston) Purdon a 10 5
AGAG (Mr. K. Cleary)......J. W. Cleary a 9 9
GOLDEN IVY (Mr. P. J. O'Hagan) Brabazon a 9 7
AH WELL (Mr. T. J. Taaffe)......Owner 6 9 7
NILISAGAM (Miss A. D. Sealy) G. E. Price a 9 7
TOMLIN (Mrs. J. Hughes) H. T. O'Neill a 9 7
Above are declared runners.

00 Bel et Bon. Unplaced with 12-6 to Blueberry (10-0) Naas Feb. (1½m. hurdles).
00 Knockadroleen. Carried 12-7 when, with John Chinaman (11-8), Yeoman (10-1) and Ah Well (9-3), unplaced to Astrom (11-1) Naas Feb. (3m. 76yds. 'chase). See Swindon Glory.
00 Workman. Carried 11-7 when fifth of 8 to Royal Danieli (12-7) Baldoyle March (3m. 'chase).
4 Drumlargin. Carried 11-9 when fourth of 22 to Jack Chaucer (10-6) Leopardstown Jan., 1940 (4m. 250yds. 'chase).
22 Swindon Glory. Carried 10-13 when beaten head by The Gripper (11-12) Leopardstown Dec. (2m. 1f. 60yds. 'chase). St. Martin (10-5) was fifth of 20, and Knockadroleen (12-7) behind.
00 John Chinaman. See Yeoman and Knockadroleen.
11 Last Minute. Carried 11-3 when winning 1l., 15l., from Prince of Birds (10-6) and Astrom (11-12) Limerick Dec. 27 (2m. 200yds. 'chase). Carried 9-12 when winning 30l., 5l., from Allez en Diable (10-12) and Yeoman (10-3) Limerick Dec. 26 (3m. 'chase). See St. Martin.
10 St. Martin. See Swindon Glory. Carried 10-7 when winning 4l., 20l., from Last Minute (9-12) and Prince of Birds (10-4) Limerick Nov. (3m. 'chase).
01 Yeoman. Carried 10-0 when winning 1l., 3l., from Pulcher (10-7) and West Point (11-6) Baldoyle Feb. (3m. 'chase). John Chinaman (11-2) was unplaced. See Knockadroleen, Nilisagan and Last Minute.
12 Agag. Carried 10-2 when beaten 6l. by Atrom (11-9) Naas Jan. (3m. 76yds. 'chase). Ah Well (10-2) was unplaced. Carried 9-6 when winning 2l., 1l., from Corn Prince (12-0) and General Chiang (10-9) Leopardstown Dec. (3m. 100yds. 'chase). Golden Ivy (10-2) was unplaced.
00 Golden Ivy. See Agag.
00 Nilisagam. Unplaced with 10-0 to Yeoman (10-0) Baldoyle January (3m. 'chase).
00 Ah Well. See Knockadroleen and Agag.
20 Tomlin. Fell at Naas May ('chase). Carried 12-7 when beaten head by Royal Straight (11-10) Downpatrick May (3m. 'chase).

5.0—CORINTHIAN FLAT RACE of 100 sovs. Second 15 sovs., third 5 sovs. 2 m. Age st. lb.
FROSTY JACK (Mr. J. G. Duggan) Kirwan a 11 5
JOINT STOCK (Mrs. S. S. Hill-Dillon) Fetherston 5 11 5
JUST REWARD (Mr. J. Kearns, junior) Kearns 6 11 5
ASPRO (Mr. B. Lawless)............Lawless 5 11 5
HANDY LAD (Mr. J. A. Mangan)...Owner 6 11 5
KNOCKNAGORAN (Mr. Desmond O'Hagan) ....F. Ward 5 11 5
DONOHILL (Mrs. A. Simmons)....Osborne a 11 5
MARSHMAN (Major J. Hannon)....Owner 4 11 0
DAMARA (Mr. J. J. Parkinson)....Owner 4 11 0
Above are declared runners.

03 Frosty Jack. Carried 11-0 when beaten 4l., 6l. by Sun Bird (10-3) and Piper's Girl (10-9) Powerstown November (1m. 5f. 70yds.).
0 Marshman. See Just Reward.
00 Joint Stock. Unplaced with 11-4 to Glenade (11-4) Naas February (2m 40yds. 'chase).
04 Just Reward. Carried 11-9 when fourth of 17 to Lavenham (11-7) Naas February (2m.). Aspro (11-9) and Marshman (11-0) were behind.
00 Aspro. See Knocknagoran and Just Reward.
00 Handy Lad. See Knocknagoran.
3 Knocknagoran. Carried 11-2 when beaten 4l., 1l. by Bricett (10-9) and Romany (11-2) Baldoyle February (2m.). Handy Lad (11-9) and Aspro (11-2) were unplaced.
00 Damara. Unplaced with 9-11 to Lindsay (10-7) Naas February (1½m. hurdles).
40 Donohill. Unplaced with 11-1 to Yeoman (10-0) Baldoyle February (3m. 'chase). Carried 11-2 when fourth of 18 to Astrom (11-1) Naas February (3m. 76yds. chase).

BLUE SHIRT FANCIED AT PLUMPTON

IF reproducing the form shown at the last meeting, Blue Shirt should win the Newhaven Steeplechase at Plumpton to-day. He started co-favourite with Dominick's Cross, who beat him by eight lengths, and as the distance was three and a half miles his stamina cannot be questioned. Home Lover beat National Night over two miles at Cheltenham, and National Night has won two races since, but Home Lover gave a poor display over three miles last time out. Much Too Dear was runner-up to Kingsland here last month, and Woodside Terrace is a sound stayer with a chance.

Fox Star has won his last two races easily, but has more to do in the Bolney Hurdle and may not beat All's Fair, who made a bold show against the useful Luncheon Hour at Cheltenham. Selections:—

Duckfield Steeplechase—**Roman Chief.**
Pyecombe Hurdle—**Overseas.**
Newhaven Steeplechase—**Blue Shirt** (nap).
Boleney Hurdle—**All's Fair.**
Offham Steeplechase—**Chorus Boy.**
Westmeston Hurdle—**Quadrangle.**

DOUBLE:
Blue Shirt and **All's Fair.**

12.30—CUCKFIELD HANDICAP 'CHASE 2 m.
Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys. Betting Forecast.
431 ROMAN CHIEF (C. Bell), a, 12-7 S. Magee 5/2
310 MIXED FOURSOME (Hemsworth), a, 12-3 ....Capt. R. Petre 6/1
240 SIDMOUTH (Willett), a, 11-10 E. Vinall 10/1
400 PEACEFUL WALTER (Anderson), a, 11-6 ....M. Feakes 8/1
213 TWEEDLEDEE II. (R. Hobbs), a, 11-9 ....G. Archibald 7/4
000 CHESTERTON (J. Hall), a, 10-13 Mr. A. Hunter 10/1
033 BRIGHT UN (Stewart), a, 10-11 G. Wilson 9/2
023 FAIR OUTLOOK (C. Birch), a, 10-2 —— 10/1
000 LIHONS (Kilpatrick), a, 10-2 E. C. Taylor 10/1
100 MAC SECUNDUS (P. Thrale), 6, 10-1 W. Redmond 10/1

1.0—PYECOMBE SELLING HURDLE. 2 m.
Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys. Betting Forecast.
001 BRIGHT BOY (Winter), 5, 11-6 Mr. Bartholomew 4/1
402 OVERSEAS (Kerr), a, 11-0 J. Grantham 11/4
011 BALAGNY (Hall), a, 11-0 Mr. A. Hunter 10/1
120 FULL TIDE (G. Hardy), 6, 11-0 —— 10/1
100 CHEESE (Private), a, 11-0... —— 10/1
000 SLIEVE MISH (O. Anthony), a, 11-0 S. Magee 7/1
340 TOUGH GUY (Reardon), a, 11-0 H. Sprague 8/1
004 IRISH STEW (Masson), a, 11-0 D. Butchers 7/1
LANDED (Nightingall), 5, 10-10 W. Redmond 8/1
00 GOLDEN FOX (F. Marshall), 5, 10-10 Mr. L. Vick 10/1
200 SCRUFFY (Newby), 5, 10-10 —— 10/1
033 CATCH PENNY (Beeby), 4, 10-0 W. Kidney 5/1
200 QUEENSLAND (G. Todd), 4, 10-0 C. Spares 10/1
CUM (V. Smyth), 4, 10-0 Mr. A. Grantham 10/1

1.30—NEWHAVEN HANDICAP 'CHASE. 3 m.
Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys. Betting Forecast.
310 HOME LOVER (Hobbs), a, 10-12 G. Archibald 5/1
034 ST. GEORGE II. (Private), a, 10-10 Mr. A. J. G. Leveson-Gower 10/1
223 SHEVANEEN (Norris), a, 10-10 E. Vinall 8/1
340 WOODSIDE TERRACE (Kilpatrick), a, 10-9 ....E. C. Taylor 7/1
002 MUCH TOO DEAR (W. Payne), 5, 10-9 ....R. Smyth 3/1
000 CHESTERTON (J. Hall), a, 10-7 Mr. A. Hunter 10/1
002 BLUE SHIRT (H. Smyth), a, 10-6 S. Magee 5/2
000 DIPLOME D'HONNEUR (Masson), a, 10-6 ....M. Feakes 10/1
040 HAPPY RESULT (Stewart), a, 10-2 G. Wilson 7/1
040 TEME SAND (Private), a, 10-0 —— 10/1
000 TRIBUNE (Mason), a, 10-0... —— 10/1

2.0—BOLENEY HANDICAP HURDLE. 2 m.
Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys. Betting Forecast.
311 FOX STAR (W. Nightingall), a, 12-0 S. Magee 4/1
123 ALL'S FAIR (Gosden), a, 11-9 A. Jarvis 5/2
000 STEEL BLADE (H. Smyth), a, 11-6 A. M. Smyth 6/1
220 ARD MACHA (O. Anthony), a, 11-4 —— 100/6
412 ELINCA (Collins), 5, 11-1..P. Chapman 8/1
402 OVERSEAS (Kerr), a, 10-13.... —— 100/8
100 POETIC LICENCE (V. Smyth), a, 10-10 ....R. Smyth 4/1
000 SUNDOWNER (Kerr), a, 10-10 J. Kerr 100/8
000 ST. VINCENT (G. Bennett), 6, 10-7 —— 100/8
000 KALLIAS II. (Donoghue), 5, 10-1 W. Kidney 100/8
000 JAWAHIR (Willett), a, 10-0... —— 100/8
022 SLIP IN (Norris), 6, 10-12...E. Vinall 8/1

2.30—OFFHAM NOVICES' STEEPLECHASE. 2 m.
Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys. Betting Forecast.
403 PADRAIG (Holt), a, 11-12..... —— 10/1
030 FOOL'S LUCK (J. Reardon), 6, 11-12 N. Sawers 10/1
000 BIRNAM (Walwyn), a, 11-12 D. Butchers 10/1
340 RED HERRING (Killalee), a, 11-12 E. Foley 10/1
000 PETOFORD (Lowe), a, 11-12...A. Jack 10/1
002 BELEAGUERED (Dick), a, 11-12 —— 3/1
000 FRO (Winter), 6, 11-7........C. Mitchell 7/2
040 ZAHDRIN (Beeby), a, 11-7 T. F. Carey 10/1
000 SABOT (Masson), 6, 11-7....... —— 10/1
000 DONEERIE (Private), a, 11-7 E. C. Taylor 8/1
300 NIGHT CRIER (P. Doyle), 6, 11-7 P. Doyle 10/1
000 MEMPHIS (Private), a, 11-7... —— 10/1
000 JOHN LEWIS (O. Anthony), 6, 11-7 —— 10/1
20 KNIGHT OF GLYN (J. Payne), a, 11-7 ....G. Wilson 6/1
004 CHORUS BOY (Anderson), 5, 11-5 M. Feakes 2/1
0 BELL GLASS (W. Nightingall), 5, 11-0 W. Redmond 10/1

3.0—WESTMESTON NOVICES' HURDLE RACE. 2 m.
Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys. Betting Forecast.
300 MOUKTAR PACHA (J. Beary), 6, 11-0 ....J. Hogan 10/1
0 LOHENGRIN (Fitton), 6, 11-0 M. Feakes 10/1
ALDWYCH (C. Birch), a, 11-0. —— 10/1
020 WICKLOW (Stewart), 6, 11-0... —— 10/1
202 MUBARAK (Duller), a, 11-0 P. Duller 9/4
ORCHILL (Bennett), 5, 10-10.. —— 10/1
00 KALLIAS II. (Donoghue), 5, 10-10 W. Kidney 10/1
300 MR. SNODGRASS (Masson), 5, 10-10 F. Ensten 10/1
303 MAUNA KEA (V. Smyth), 5, 10-10 R. Smyth 7/2
LE MANOUC (G. Bennett), 5, 10-10 —— 10/1
4 QUADRANGLE (Bancroft), 4, 10-0 G. Wilson 5/1
4 TENOR (Dines), 4, 10-0........ —— 6/1
0 FOREFLIGHT (Hare), 4, 10-0. —— 10/1
SISTER CAROL (Nightingall), 4, 10-0 S. Magee 7/1
00 APPLE KING (Nightingall), 4, 10-0 W. Redmond 7/1
0 ERMINE STREET (Ray), 4, 10-0 N. Sawers 8/1
0 SWISS ROLL (Bancroft), 4, 10-0 W. Madden 10/1
CORNIC (Kilpatrick), 4, 10-0 E. C. Taylor 10/1
MILK BAR (Masson), 4, 10-0.. —— 10/1

CIVIL SERVICE HARRIERS

Meet to-day at Civil Service Cricket Pavilion, Phœnix Park, at 3.30 o'clock.

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LIMERICK RACES,
ST. PATRICK'S DAY MEETING,
MONDAY, MARCH 17th, 1941.
Entries for Five Races (to complete Programme), Steeplechase, Hurdle and Flat, close on Wednesday next (February 19th), with Mr. F. H. Clarke, 9 Hume street, Dublin, C.2. Telegraphic Address: "Turfclub, Dublin."—(Advt.)

SOUTH COUNTY DUBLIN HARRIERS
POINT-TO-POINT
at **CHEEVERSTOWN, CLONDALKIN**
ON WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 19th. First Race, 2.30 p.m.
Course now flagged and ready for inspection. Transport Arrangements:—The 12 noon and 1.45 p.m. D.U.T.C. 'buses from Aston's quay for Rathcoole pass the course. Frequent Clondalkin 'buses leave you at Newland's Corner, half-mile from course. Catering by Mills. Bars by Hearys. To Race Card Sellers:—Race Cards on sale to-day, at 5 Burgh quay, between 2.30-3.30 p.m.

RED CROSS 'CHASE WEIGHTS

THE weights for the Red Cross Steeplechase, to be run at Leopardstown on Saturday, March 8, were issued yesterday. Top weight has been allotted to Bel et Bon, who showed useful form in England, but so far has not run in a steeplechase in this country. Jack Chaucer, winner of the first Red Cross 'Steeplechase, twelve months ago, when carrying 10st. 6lb., has now to carry practically 2st. more, and Knockadroleen, third in that race with 10st. 2lb., has to shoulder 12st. 6lb. The weights are:—

RED CROSS HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE, of 1,000 sovs. The winner will receive 75 per cent., second 15 per cent., and third 10 per cent. of the stakes. An open handicap steeplechase. The highest weight shall not be more than 12st. 7lb. and the lowest not less than 10st. A winner after February 14th of a steeplechase value 75 sovs 2lb. extra, of a steeplechase value 150 sovs. 4lb. extra. No penalties for steeplechases of a less distance than three miles. Horses originally handicapped at 12st. or over to carry only half penalty, and no penalty to increase a horse's weight to more than 12st. 7lb.
Four miles and about 250 yards. Age. st. lb.
BEL ET BON (Capt. G. S. L. Whitelaw) H. Hartigan a 12 7
KNOCKADROLEEN (Miss B. Kearns) Kearns a 12 6
JACK CHAUCER (Mr. H. L. Egan) Brabazon a 12 5
WORKMAN (Sir Alexander Maguire) Ruttle a 12 4
DRUMLARGIN (Mr. M Cuddy)...Ussher a 11 13
SYMAETH'S (Mr. T. Westhead) D. Williams a 11 11
BALLYHOOLEY (Mr. R. Sheehan) Brabazon a 11 9
ASTROM (Mr. A. Barry)...Sleator, jun. a 11 8
SWINDON GLORY (Mr. J. A. Mangan) Owner a 11 7
WEST POINT (Mr P. Dunne Cullinan) Arnott a 11 6
ARCHDUKE II. (Mr. H. Davis) Donnelly a 11 5
SIR SEN (Lord Queenborough) C. A. Rogers 6 11 1
RING OF GOLD (Col. D. W. Daly) Ussher 6 11 0
JOHN CHINAMAN (Miss Dorothy Paget) ....C. A. Rogers a 11 0
LAST MINUTE (Mrs. R. McCarthy) Keating a 10 13
DONOHILL (Mrs. A. Simmons)..Osborne a 10 13
STERLING DUKE (Mr H. O'Leary) C. A. Rogers a 10 11
CORN PRINCE (Mrs Spencer Freeman) Osborne a 10 10
BEGGAR'S BUSH (Mrs. M. Walshe) M. A. Walshe a 10 7
GOLDSCLEUGH (Capt. L. T. Tillingston) ....Elkington a 10 6
YEOMAN (Miss M. Preston)......Purdon a 10 5
ST. MARTIN (Miss M. O. Mathieson) Brabazon a 10 4
GENERAL CHIANG (Miss Dorothy Paget) ....C. A. Rogers a 10 2
DALMATIAN (Mr. H. Davis)...Donnelly 6 10 1
CLARE COUNTY (Mrs. P. Kiely) W. T. O'Grady a 10 1
PETER'S WELL (Mr. Ml. McDonough) Parkinson a 10 0
HALLOWVEIN (Mr. W. Noble)...Rooney a 10 0
BAY FALLOCH (Mr. A. D. Turner) Turner a 10 0
ST. DONAVINT (Mr. R. Shanahan) FitzGerald a 10 0
BLACK MASK (Mr. W. J. Purcell) Owner a 10 0
MASSEUR (Sir Harold Gray)......Canty a 10 0
RATHCOFFEY (Mr. P. J. Coonan) Owner a 10 0
GOLDEN IVY (Mr. P. J. O'Hagan) Brabazon a 10 0
TOMLIN (Mrs. J. Hughes)..H. T. O'Neill a 10 0
CLONHUGH (Mr. J. G. McKenna) Woods a 10 0
STEADY JACK (Miss H. Bell)...Osborne a 10 0
AGAG (Mr. K. Cleary)......J. W. Cleary a 10 0
HOY LEE (Mr F. Rogers).C. A. Rogers a 10 0

DANCING DERVISH MAY SCORE AT WETHERBY

DANCING DERVISH and Water Weed have made the long journey from Newmarket to contest the Wighill Hurdle at Wetherby to-day, and Anarchist will be a strong Epsom challenger. Lion Hunter may be best of the Northern trained horses, but Dancing Dervish may credit Newmarket with its first success of the jumping season. Selections:—

Wighill Hurdle—**Dancing Dervish.**
Deighton Steeplechase—**Prime.**
February Hurdle—**Klinaglory.**
Harewood Steeplechase—**Russian Sentry.**
Weeton Hurdle—**Black Cloak.**
Collingham Steeplechase—**Peter Piper** (nap)

DOUBLE:
Peter Piper and **Prime.**

1.30—WIGHILL FOUR-YEAR-OLD H'DLE. 2 m.
Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys. Betting Forecast.
TROUTING (F. Armstrong), 10-5 J. Hislop 10/1
0 ATTERCLIFFE (Hardisty), 10-5 —— 20/1
MESHRA (F. Armstrong), 10-5 W. Hollick 10/1
403 DANCING DERVISH (J. Payne), 10-5 A. Goodwill 5/2
0 RAVEN HAIR (Newton), 10-5 T. Isaac 100/8
0 GREEK ARCHER (Easterby), 10-5 Capt. Delahooke 20/1
WATER WEED (Whitaker), 10-5 D. Bonham 20/1
0 CROXTON (M. Peacock), 10-5 D. L. Jones 20/1
04 LION HUNTER (Storie), 10-5 W. Hollick 5/1
000 TRUCULENT TEDDY (Smallwood), 10-5 G. Potts 20/1
0 CAESAR'S WALL (Oxtoby), 10-5 W. Stephenson 20/1
35 ANARCHIST (Nightingall), 10-5 —— 2/1
03 CERALIA (Private), 10-5 P. Rawlins 8/1
POGGIO PONENTE (Peacock), 10-5 Mr. P. Vaux 7/2
00 GRAZER (Renton), 10-5 ...J. Ward 20/1
0 GENERAL GORDON (Mather), 10-5 —— 20/1
or
0 AUNT JENNIE (Mather), 10-5 —— 20/1
000 DUNDHU (C. Bell), 10-5 H. Nicholson 20/1
000 VICTORIOUS LOVER (Mather), 10-5 D. Doyle 20/1
A. Ireson rides General Gordon or Aunt Jennie.

2.0—DEIGHTON HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE. 3 m.
Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys. Betting Forecast.
031 THE PROFESSOR (Storie), a, 12-7 T. Isaac 7/4
043 RIGHTUN (Elkington), a, 10-10 T. F. Rimell 9/2
201 CALLALY (Johnson), a, 11-8 Mr. R. Smith 5/1
141 RUSSIAN SENTRY (Johnson), a, 11-8 D. Doyle 20/1
012 KERBOGA (Smallwood), a, 10-11 T. Crabb 11/4
010 ANNOUNCER (Renton), a, 10-3 J. Ward 100/8
000 YOUNG MISCHIEF (Easterby), a, 10-2 J. Richardson 20/1
330 GOLD ARROW (Private), a, 10-1 P. Lay 20/1
001 DOWNRIGHT (Elkington), a, 10-0 Mr. J. Seely 10/1
000 JERUEL (T. Hall), a, 10-0 Mr. K. Raspin 20/1
303 PRIME (Private) a, 10-0 Capt. J. Hislop 100/7
020 PRINCE BRABANT (Poskitt), a, 10-0 Mr. P. Vaux 8/1

2.30—FEBRUARY SELLING HURDLE. 2 m.
Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys. Betting Forecast.
401 BLUE PEARL II. (Newton), 6, 12-6 T. Isaac 4/1
000 COULEUR DE ROSE (Balding), a, 11-5 ....W. Elliott 10/1
MASSINGA (M. Peacock), a, 11-5 S. Futcher 25/1
PURSE PROUD (Private), 6, 11-5 —— 25/1
042 BLACK CLOAK (Keddie), 6, 11-5 T. Crabb 100/8
000 SKILFUL (Shedden), 6, 11-5 J. Ward 25/1
002 MAID OF ATHENS (Harper), a, 11-5 —— 100/8
000 BUZ (Cockburn), 6, 11-5......W. Gray 25/1
400 LAUREAT II. (Laurence), a, 11-5 T. Skevington 3/1
0 CARLORE (Murless), a, 11-5 J. Futcher 25/1
000 BRAND (Mather), 6, 11-5...D. Doyle 25/1
023 KILNAGLORY (Poskitt), 6, 11-5 Mr. P. Vaux 8/1
002 PORTER (Sheddon), 6, 11-5 —— 8/1
040 ROYAL FRIEZE (Storie), 6, 11-5 W. Stephenson 25/1
SILKSWORTH (Private), 6, 11-1 —— 25/1
PICK (Paisley), 5, 11-1 T. R. Brown 25/1
00 GRACE DARLING (Sturdy), 5, 11-1 Capt. Richmond 10/1
0 SYLPHIDE (Cowie), 5, 11-1 J. Millar 25/1
0 STARDOR (E. Johnson), 5, 11-1 J. Richardson 11/2
EASTERN COMMAND (F. Armstrong), 4, 10-5 .... 25/1
00 COUNT YUTOI (Smallwood), 4, 10-5 —— 25/1
0 CONSTANT NYMPH (H. Peacock), 4, 10-5 .... 9/2
00 GRAZER (Renton), 4, 10-5 ... —— 25/1
MARK BUOY (F. Armstrong), 4, 10-5 —— 25/1
W. Hollick rides either Maid of Athens or Eastern Command.

3.0—HAREWOOD OPTIONAL SELLING 'CHASE. 2 m.
Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys. Betting Forecast.
022 CHINESE ORDER (Private), a, 12-0 W. Parvin 8/1
004 NOVGOROD (Elkington), a, 10-10 T. F. Rimell 100/8
121 ALDEANO (Smith), a, 10-10 Mr. J. Smith 10/1
100 CAIRO (Easterby), a, 10-7 J. Richardson 15/8
100 BEDALE HUNT (Burn), a, 10-0 —— 20/1
043 BENRINNES (Mather), a, 10-0 D. Doyle 9/2
000 PORTICO (Keddie), a, 10-0 T. Crabb 5/1
141 RUSSIAN SENTRY (Johnson), a, 10-0 P. Lay 100/30
010 ANNOUNCER (Renton), a, 10-0 J. Ward 20/1
004 CIRCUS BOY (Poskitt), 6, 10-0 Mr. P. Vaux 20/1
100 WARDLEY (J. Harper), a, 10-0 W. Hollick 6/1
002 TRISMOND (Pease), a, 10-0 —— 20/1

3.30—WEETON HANDICAP HURDLE. 2½ m.
Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys. Betting Forecast.
141 FLOWING TIDE (Easterby), a, 12-7 Captain Delahooke 4/1
14 BRIGADORE (Webb), 6, 12-7 J. Cooke 8/1
0 BANDSTAR (Hardisty), a, 12-7 H. Bradshaw 25/1
0 GAILSTAR (Private), 5, 11-12 —— 25/1
201 LAW COURT (Elkington), a, 11-11 —— 11/4
220 FERMETE (Private), 5, 11-7 P. Rawlins 25/1
331 CLARION GIRL (Wight), a, 11-6 L. Inman 100/7
21 UMIDERE (Hall), 4, 11-2 —— 10/1
100 LATHOM (Whitaker), 6, 10-10 H. Nicholson 6/1
000 CARRANTUO HILL (Easterby), a, 10-10 ....J. Richardson 25/1
012 PERON'S ISLE (Private), a, 10-10 Mr. J. Smith 25/1
023 KILNAGLORY (Poskitt), 6, 10-9 Mr. P. Vaux 8/1
042 BLACK CLOAK (Keddie), 6, 10-4 T. Crabb 10/1
003 HORATIO (Storie), 6, 10-3..W. Hollick 25/1
040 NO BALL (Rose), a, 10-2..T. F. Rimell 25/1
003 LIMESTONE EDWARD (Private), a, 10-2 ....Capt. J. Hislop 25/1
002 MAID OF ATHENS (Harper), a, 10-0 W. Hollick 100/8
000 BUZ (Cockburn), 6, 10-0 .....W. Gray 25/1
000 TRANSIT (Midgeley), a, 10-0 Mr. S. H. Midgeley 25/1
000 TETRONESA (Private), 5, 10-0 —— 25/1
000 MARVID (Cowie), 6, 10-0...J. Millar 25/1
004 PRINCE PALETTE (Newton), a, 10-0 T. Isaac 25/1
000 MEMENTO II. (Rose), a, 10-0 —— 25/1
040 TRAGEDIAN (C. Bell), a, 12-7 E. C. Brown 7/2
004 FLAM (Pease), a, 10-10........ —— 25/1

4.0—COLLINGHAM NOVICES' CHASE. 2 m.
Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys. Betting Forecast.
200 BONZER (Weatherill), a, 11-2 A. Ireson 10/1
000 SILVER LIGHT II. (Easterby), a, 11-2 Captain Delahooke 100/6
BAYTHORPE (Private), a, 11-2 W. Hollick 100/6
300 RAVENDALE (Private), a, 11-2 Captain J. Hislop 4/1
000 TRAGIC VENTURE (Oxtoby), a, 11-2 J. Richards 8/1
402 PETER PIPER (J. Harper), a, 11-2 T. F. Rimell 1/1
200 FLYING PHANTOM (Vaux), a, 11-2 Mr. P. Vaux 100/6
000 ROYAL REVEL (Storie), 5, 10-9 G. Owen 11/2
200 FONTAINEBLEAU (Newton), a, 11-2 T. Isaac 7/2

No Call-over on Red Cross 'Chase

Owing to various difficulties, principally legal, it will not be possible to hold a call-over on the Red Cross Steeplechase to be run at Leopardstown on March 8th. That news will cause a certain amount of disappointment, for there is no doubt about the great interest created by the two calls-over on the Red Cross Steeplechase of December 28th last.

The desirability of making the call-over a feature of the more important Irish races is being borne in mind. The legal difficulties are not insurmountable, and it is felt that, with a little co-operation from the authorities, they may be overcome very shortly.

A meeting of various interested parties is to be held at an early date, and at the moment there are excellent prospects of a call-over being held in connection with the Irish Lincolnshire, which is to be run at the Curragh April Meeting.

"SOCCER" FIXTURES

TO-DAY
LEAGUE OF IRELAND.
Shelbourne v. Bohemians; Shelbourne Park, 3.30.

TO-MORROW
LEAGUE OF IRELAND.
Drumcondra v. Waterford; Tolka Park, 3.15.
St. James's Gate v. Limerick; Crumlin, 3.30.
Bray Unknowns v. Brideville; Bray, 3.30.
Cork United v. Shamrock Rovers; Cork, 3.30.

TEAMS

Shelbourne—Kiernan; Feenan, Olphert; Walsh, Kelly, Doyle; M. Delaney, Dinnen, Carroll, Byrne, Fallon.

Bohemians—C. Landers; J. Meighan, P. Ratcliffe; G. Murphy, J. Martin, W. Jordan; F. Fullen, G. Wright, M. Flynn, P. Morris, M. Downes.

Drumcondra—Donnelly; Dunne, Byrne; O'Rourke, Clarke, Kavanagh (M.); Kennedy, Daly, McNamara, O'Brien, Kelly.

Waterford—Daly; Hartery, Myers; Wall, Phelan, Walsh; O'Driscoll, Coad, Johnstone, Cameron, O'Keeffe.

St. James's Gate—Flynn; Noonan, Gorman; O'Reilly, Gaskins, Dalton; Kennedy, Jackson, Bradshaw, Smith, O'Rourke. Reserves—Noonan (R.), Smyth (T.), McCabe.

Limerick—Harrington; O'Mahony, Powell; Buchanan, Meek, Daly; O'Connor, Cassidy, Healy, Boyle, Foy.

Cork United—Foley; McGowan, Duffy; Hooks, O'Riordan, McKenna; O'Reilly, McFarlane, McCarthy, O'Neill, Madden.

Shamrock Rovers—McCarthy; Clarke, Healy; McIvor, Bryson, Creevey; Ward, Dunne, Clark, Farrell, Geoghegan.

Brideville—From Spain, Keegan, Cullen, McCarthy, Shields, Lappin, E. Dunne, Carroll, Boland, Matthews, Another, Reid, Richardson, Hardy, Kennedy.

PIONEERS' LACROSSE CLUB

Practice to-day at 3.30 at Hall School, Monkstown.

Boxing

Lenihan Beats McGouran in Splendid Fight

THERE was a packed house at the Stadium last night, and they saw one top-class bout between W. Lenihan and J. McGouran, but the main attraction, Ernie Smith against E. Chandler, was disappointing. Despite his cleverness in avoiding punishment, Smith is far too slow nowadays, and, having sustained a cut on the cheek in the fifth round, the referee stopped it in Chandler's favour. Despite his reputation as a knock-out expert, Chandler seemed to be mesmerised by his opponent at times, and although given endless opportunities to end it quickly he could not land the decisive blow with his right. Still, he was well in front on points when it was stopped.

Although he defeated McGouran for the second time this season, W. Lenihan had a very hard job in doing so on this occasion, and it was only his exceptional stamina that decided it. McGouran's attack by swings was effective at times, and he landed some heavy punches to the face, but Lenihan's straighter punching was the more effective, and in the last two rounds the latter was clearly on top, but it was a grand bout all the way.

Corporal Dowdall is, undoubtedly, developing hi- punching power, and after putting T. Kavanagh down in the first round with a right swing to the jaw he had him groggy again at the close of the third. Kavanagh has remarkable ability in recovering from severe punishment, and great gameness, but he was outclassed, and it certainly seems as if he is being asked to do far too much lately. The fact that he made an astonishing rally in the last two rounds makes no difference to the important point that a fight like last night's can only do him harm. He certainly has, however, the most wonderful fighting spirit.

The Delahunt-Gaffney feather-weight bout, which should have been one of the best of the night, ended in an unlucky way before it had properly started. After only a few seconds of the first round Gaffney's shoulder caught Delahunt low, and the Sandymount man was disqualified, his opponent having to be carried from the ring. It was a most unlucky accident.

THE RESULTS

Fly-Weight—A. Bigger (Phœnix) beat C. Farrell (Unity) on points.
Bantam-Weight—W. Lenihan (Arbour Hill) beat J. McGouran (Unity) on points.
Feather-Weight—A. Delahunt (Unity) beat J. Gaffney (Sandymount), disqualified in the first round; J. Redmond (Unity) beat P. Babster (Phœnix) on points.
Light-Weight—J. Kilcullen (Corinthians) beat J. McAvee (Sligo), stopped in the third round; Corporal P. Dowdall (Islandbridge) beat T. Kavanagh (Scouts) on points; E. Chandler (Corinthians) beat E. Smith (Garda), stopped in the fifth round.
Middle Weight—Corporal Ryan (Islandbridge) beat M. McKeever (Phœnix) on points; Constable W. Gallacher (R.U.C.) beat R. Sullivan (Corinthians) on points; T. Davis (Corinthians) beat E. Mulligan (Phœnix), retired injured in the third round.
Cruiser Weight—Garda P. Gallagher beat D. Fox (Unity) on points.
Heavy-Weight—Constable J. McMullan (R.U.C.) beat Corporal J. Kerry (Collins) on points.

Hockey

Leinster's Chance of Beating Ulster

The Leinster-Ulster match to-day promises to provide a good display of hockey, unless the ground at Londonbridge Road is too heavy. Leinster's defence should be strengthened by the return to last year's full-back partnership of Stevenson and Donald, and, even though Sanderson has had to call-off owing to the Leinster Section final of the Irish Cup, Browne has had experience of left-half in big matches, and, together with Pilkington and Butler should form a middle line capable of checking the Ulster forwards as well as supporting their own attack. With McDonogh at inside-right, and D. McGilligan in the centre, Leinster should have more thrust near goal than was the case at Limerick.

Ulster's main strength lies in defence, where Carroll, Carlisle and McCready are probably the soundest trio in the country. Paul is the star of the half-back line, which may not be up to Leinster's standard, and Bowden and Smyth will be the chief dangers in what is likely to be a fast forward line. A Leinster victory may be achieved this time, provided the forwards reach expectations.

At Claremont road Y.M.C.A. entertain Pembroke Wanderers in the Leinster final of the Irish Senior Cup, and the sides appear to be evenly matched. Wanderers, however, have had a brilliant run since mid-December, and appear to hold a stronger hand in attack, so they are fancied to represent Leinster in the later stages of the competition.

THE FIXTURES

(Official starting time—Cup fixtures, 3 p.m.; League fixtures, 3.15 p.m.)

SENIOR INTER-PROVINCIAL.
Leinster v. Ulster. Londonbridge road, 3 p.m. R. Megran, H. Bollard.

IRISH SENIOR CUP—LEINSTER FINAL.
Y.M.C.A. I. v. Pembroke Wanderers I. Claremont road. S. McElveen, A. J. Keegan.

MILLS CUP.
Corinthians I. v. St. James's Gate I. Templeogue. R. W. Keegan, G. V. S. Ireland.

RAILWAY CUP
Pembroke Wanderers II. v. Railway Union II. Park avenue. H. D. Montgomery, H. J. Simms.
Three Rock Rovers II. v. Monkstown II. Londonbridge road, 4.15. H. W. Cooper, T. Pike.
Dublin University II. v. Bray Rovers I. Londonbridge road, 4.15. J. H. Ross, L. Bowers.

CLUB MATCHES.
Trinity Rovers v. Queen's University. College Park, 1.30.
Monkstown v. Portrane. Royal terrace, 3.30. W. J. Richardson, G. Richardson.

TEAMS

Leinster—D. McDonald (Dublin University); F. Stevenson (Railway Union), G. K. Donald (Three Rock Rovers); W. Butler (Clonliffe-Fingal), R. K. Pilkington (Three Rock Rovers), R. F. Browne (Avoca School) (capt.); C. Leopold (Railway Union), J. A. MacDonogh (Three Rock Rovers), D. McGilligan (Dublin University), W. Matheson (Avoca School), J. V. Luce (Dublin University).

Ulster—J. Carroll (Y.M.C.A.); J. Carlisle (Queen's), N. McCready (North Down); C. Fee (Cliftonville), G. McElroy (Banbridge), D. Paul (Lisnagarvey); E. Williamson (Y.M.C.A.), G. D. Smyth (Cliftonville), J. Pyper (Queen's), Jack Bowden (Lisnagarvey), G. Raphael (Lisnagarvey).

Y.M.C.A. 1st—T. A. Worrall; J. Taylor, J. Curtis; C. D. Colter, V. Sanderson (capt.), G. Boate; J. C. Williams, J. Hussey, I. Jones, A. Hopkins, W. Fry.

Pembroke Wanderers' 1st—P. O'Keeffe; D. McNulty, S. J. Doyle; J. C. D'Arcy, R. T. Rafter, H. H. Dove, L. F. L. Orr (capt.), G. W. Beegan, O. V. Mooney, R. R. Power, P. Webster.

Corinthians 1st—G. Ledwidge; C. W. Gibson, W. L. C. Lindsay (capt.); D. Curnow, P. O'Keeffe, P. Lindsay; D. Hutchinson, J. A. Mattson, W. H. Robinson, J. S. Brewster, J. G. Bolger.

Dalkey 1st—J. S. Prouse; S. F. Smalldridge, T. O'Leary; R. Jones, W. J. Thompson, D. Harte; W. R. M. Hewitt, N. E. Knight, E. A. Haigh, B. Stokes, N. Paul.

Trinity Rovers—C. R. Cuffe (capt.); R. Stewart, W. Rutherford; R. Half, A. Runner, Ian Roberts; C. N. Dagg, W. R. M. Colquhoun, T. Strong, W. Pilkington, H. Russell.

RAILWAY BEAT QUEEN'S

RAILWAY UNION 3 QUEEN'S UNIVERSITY 0

Leading by two goals to nil at the half-way stage, Railway Union had to thank some brilliant work by their goalkeeper, W. Kennedy, for their 3-nil victory over Queen's University on the second ground at Claremont road yesterday.

Lonergan scored in the first minute, and K. Tanham got the second midway through the first half. Queen's had much the better of the play after the interval, but near the end, when the entire Queen's team was up in attack, a long clearance gave J. Tanham a clear run for goal, and he scored cleverly.

"SOCCER" CENSUS IN DEFENCE FORCES

The Association of Ireland is taking a census of "soccer" players serving in the Defence Forces, the information being provided by the affiliated clubs and leagues.

Golf

RED CROSS MATCH AT THE CASTLE

The second match for the Red Cross Society will be played to-morrow at the Castle, Rathfarnham. It will be a distinct novelty, as two of our leading lady players, Mrs. J. E. Fletcher and Mrs. Val Reddin, will oppose Paddy Mahon and Eddie Hackett over eighteen holes. The ladies are former Irish champions and internationalists, and, as they will be in receipt of nine strokes, it should be a most interesting match, played from the men's tees.

Matches have also been arranged at Mullingar, Hermitage, Woodbrook, Carlow, Elm Park, Cork (Little Island), Douglas, Muskerry, Milltown, Grange and Portmarnock, which will bring the series to the end of May. Eddie Hackett would like to hear from other clubs anxious to arrange matches. The entire proceeds will be forwarded to headquarters of the Red Cross Society, and to avoid any misunderstanding it may be mentioned that no arrangement can be made for local branches of the Society to receive a percentage of the takings. The distribution of the funds is a matter for the Society.

LUCAN CLUB'S RECORD YEAR

The annual general meeting of the Lucan Club was held in the Central Hotel, Exchequer street. The hon. secretary's report showed that 1940 was Lucan's best year. The social functions were very well supported, and the annual dance was a huge success. Entries in the competitions increased by 46 per cent., showing an average entry of 27.1. Alterations in the course are in progress; the third, seventh and eighth holes are being lengthened, and a new seventh green is in the course of construction.

The hon. treasurer's report showed that the revenue for 1940 was a record for the club. Wages increased by £60, and there was a profit on the year's working of £92. The membership increased by 20, and so far for the year 1941 only four had resigned; three new members await election.

Officers elected:—President, Dr. G. P. Sheehan; captain, Mr. D. Gallivan; hon. secretary, Mr. N. P. O'Sullivan (Mr. O'Donoghue resigned). Committee—Messrs. Kevin O'Kelly, F. E. Buxton, W. R. Such, M. C. O'Donoghue, M. J. McNally, T. Ahern, G. C. Byrne, P. A. Duggan, C. D. Watters and the Rev. Dr. N. Kevin.

Ladies' Branch officers:—Miss P. Byrne, captain; Miss E. Perry, hon. secretary. Committee—Miss R. Doran, Miss J. Grehan, Mrs. Hannon, Miss N. McIntyre, Miss D. Tierney and Miss E. Victory.

WEEK-END AT BUNDORAN

In connection with the St. Patrick's Day bank holiday, the Great Northern Railway Company have arranged a week-end (Friday to Monday) at the G.N.R. Hotel, Bundoran. The party will be limited to 120, and golfers intending to travel will require to notify the District Superintendent's office not later than Friday, 28th February.

GOLF CLUB NOTICES

CASTLE.—To-day—Medal (18 holes, strokes).
SUTTON.—To-day—Medals, bogey.
RATHFARNHAM.—To-day—Fourball v. bogey, 18 holes.
MALAHIDE.—To-day—Monthly Cup, bogey.
KILCRONEY.—To-day—Competition for men and ladies, 18 holes v. bogey.
DUN LAOGHAIRE.—Saturday, 22nd February—Medal finals; list of members qualified to play in the lounge.
NEWLANDS.—Ladies—Annual general meeting, clubhouse, Saturday, March 8th, 4 p.m.
CURRAGH.—Ladies' Branch—Tuesday next—Club prize, nine holes, strokes. Arrange opponents.
FOXROCK.—To-day—Mr. H. F. Cronin's prize, 9 holes, eclectic, strokes; limited to 18 holes.
PORTMARNOCK.—To-day—Medals, bogey. The semi-open fourball arranged for February 22nd has been cancelled.
GRANGE.—To-day—Medal, 9 holes. Smoking concert postponed.
ROYAL DUBLIN.—President's prize postponed.
DUN LAOGHAIRE.—Ladies' Branch—February 20—Surprise foursomes; first class play with second class. Draws 10.30, 2.30.
MILLTOWN.—To-day—Scotch foursomes, bogey, second nine holes.

GOLF WEEK-END AT BUNDORAN.

The Great Northern Railway Company offer a long week-end at their Bundoran Hotel from Friday, 14th March, to Monday, 17th March (Bank Holiday). Rail (First Class) from Dublin, Hotel and Golf, inclusive charge £3 5/-. Golfers intending to travel will require to notify the District Superintendent, G.N.R., Amiens street, not later than Friday, 28th February.—(Advt.)

CASTLE GOLF CLUB.

Arrangements for Whist Drive on 15th and Dance on 21st February have been Cancelled.—(Advt.)

Rugby Football

Junior Schools' Cup Matches

HIGH SCHOOL...... 6 KILKENNY COLLEGE 3

Two further matches in the first round of the Schools' Junior Cup were played at Donnybrook yesterday. In the first game High School defeated Kilkenny College by 2 tries to 1. Kilkenny had the better of the play in the opening stages, their forwards doing good work in the loose, and after about ten minutes' play Carroll scored a try. High School, for whom Cole and Lambert were always prominent did better after this, and Cole, following up a kick, took the Kilkenny full-back off the ball and scored, the kick at goal failing. Nearing half-time Lambert, getting possession at half-way, went right through to score a fine try.

Kilkenny College—R. Roberts; F. Ryan, G. Lett, R. Wallace, H. Carroll; R. Rafter (capt.), G. Rowe; R. Kingston, D. Kelly, G. Rose, P. Morse, J. Kinch, J. Bradshaw, T. Anderson, H. Talbot.

High School—Gardner; McKeown, Grant, Lambert, G. B. Quin; G. Cole, S. J. Wright; S. Birch, R. Kyle, R. R. Kyle, Callaghan, J. H. Lindsay, Rooney, Clein, J. Fall.

CASTLEKNOCK ...... 23 ST. ANDREW'S......... 0

Castleknock College, with a big advantage in size and weight, proved much too good for St. Andrew's College and won by 1 goal and 6 tries to nil. McQuillan and Brennan scored tries in the first half, Browne converting one from near the touch line. The Castleknock forwards took complete command in the second half, and kept play in St. Andrew's territory virtually all the time. O'Hagan, McQuillan (3) and Brennan added further tries.

St. Andrew's College—E. Hamilton; P. Butler, E. Newell, D. Wann, J. de Pauley; R. Williamson (capt.), C. Reid; D. Watts, R. Hill, D. Ingram, J. Redmond, J. Henry, A. Dyas, J. Teggan, R. Wallace.

Castleknock College—H. O'Donoghue; J. Clenaghan, J. Brennan, N. McQuillan, M. Holloway; G. Dodd, R. Carroll; A. McAlister, J. Cooney, D. J. Kilgallen, H. O'Hagan, P. Barry, J. Sheils, P. Browne, D. Kilgallen.

TO-DAY'S FIXTURES

(Kick-off, 3.15).

SENIOR CLUB GAMES.
Dublin University v. Collegians. College Park.
Blackrock College v. Queen's University. Williamstown.
Old Wesley v. University College. Donnybrook.
Wanderers v. Bective Rangers. Lansdowne road.
Clontarf v. Lansdowne. Castle avenue.
Monkstown v. St. Mary's College. Sydney Parade.
Palmerston "A" v. Railway Union. Clonskeagh.
Instonians v. Old Belvedere. Belfast.

TEAMS

Wanderers—W. Smith; N. B. Taylor, W. Brooks, J. A. Gregory, F. Cruise; A. B. Robertson, C. Fox; J. J. Spicer, B. Harvey, G. W. McGibney, L. N. Horan, T. R. Horan, C. Bradfield, W. Deane, L. W. Stuart.

Old Wesley—W. B. Sterling; N. McConnell, J. McConnell, T. D. Lambert, D. C. Magill; J. A. McConnell, F. L. Wolfe; J. Lindsay, W. T. Collier, S. H. Polden, W. S. C. Rooney, E. E. Polden, D. E. J. Glenn, G. G. McCullough, W. G. Taylor.

Old Belvedere—D. Thorpe; H. McNeis, G. J. Quinn, P. J. Quinn, B. T. Quinn; F. M. Quinn, G. J. Morgan; R. Cusack, S. Henry, M. O'Neill, W. Cleary, P. P. O'Sullivan, J. O'Dwyer, V. Aird, D. J. O'Brien.

Clontarf—M. B. Williams; B. Mullan, J. Martin, F. Moran, E. O'Brien; N. Mahoney, M. Carr; L. Moran, E. Lyons, S. Fitzpatrick, H. Milroy, P. Madden, J. Guiney, W. Clarke, J. Clune.

Blackrock College—D. G. O'Leary; T. J. Chamberlain, L. B. McMahon, T. D. Brophy, A. N. Other; L. M. O'Brien, J. C. Ferris; P. Gallagher, F. H. Hogan, T. J. Kenny, E. G. Ryan, S. A. Morrison, K. J. Kenny, M. J. Delaney, B. P. Dunne.

St. Mary's College—A. A. Norton (capt.); M. D. Kennedy, P. E. Meehan, J. P. Murphy, T. A. Bergin; T. Caveney, R. Lehane; J. J. Walker, J. Brennan, J. C. Meany, J. P. Quigley, W. Burke, W. F. Meehan, F. B. Ganter, A. J. Lalor.

Dublin University—P. Anderson; D. Doyle, R. McIntyre, H. Uprichard, R. Craig; S. D. Walsh, W. Huet; W. Maynan, L. Jacobson, W. Howard, J. Walsh, M. Solomons, T. Roche, F. Skuce, W. D. Boyle.

Table Tennis

Another Cup for Kemp

The first Irish Close Singles Championships were concluded last night in the O'Connell Hall, Dublin, when C. A. Kemp added to his long list of victories by defeating H. Collins in the final in straight sets, whilst the women's final went in favour of the internationalist, Miss E. C. Prescott, who beat Mrs. C. Byrne. The latter, after losing the first set by 21-11, staged an excellent recovery, and brought the second set to 21-17. Results:—

MEN'S SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIP.
Fourth Round—C. A. Kemp beat D. Lyons, 21-16, 21-11; C. Colter beat G. Lally, 12-21, 21-11, 21-15; H. Collins beat H. S. Carlyle, 21-17, 21-19.
Semi-finals—Kemp beat Colter, 21-10, 21-9, 22-24, 21-15; Collins w.o., H. Wine scr.
Final—Kemp beat Collins, 21-10, 21-10, 21-11.

WOMEN'S SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIP.
Semi-final—Miss E. C. Prescott beat Miss B. Heron, 21-15, 21-8.
Final—Miss Prescott beat Mrs. C. Byrne, 21-11, 21-17.

MEN'S CONSOLATION PLATE.
Semi-finals—B. Doherty beat A. Solomons, 21-13, 17-21, 21-15; A. R. Gillespie beat H. Huet, 21-17, 21-18.
Final—Doherty beat Gillespie, 21-15, 21-17.

WOMEN'S CONSOLATION PLATE.
Semi-finals—Miss D. Maguire beat Miss D. R. Allen, 21-18, 21-16; Miss J. Smith beat Mrs. Huet, 21-14, 21-19.
Final—Miss Maguire beat Miss Smith, 21-19, 17-21, 22-20.

Coursing

Local Owner Wins Waterloo Cup

The Waterloo Cup was won yesterday by Swinging Light, who is owned by Mr. C. Molyneux Cohan, a Liverpool ship-owner and broker, and ran in the nomination of Mr. R. C. Brownlee. Swinging Light is the first puppy to win the Cup since Ben Tinto in 1932. He was one of the outsiders on the day of the draw, 40 to 1 being offered against his chance. Mr. Cohan bought him for only 105 gns. The winner is trained by Harold Wright, whose sixth Waterloo Cup winner this was—a record for a trainer. Harold Wright's previous winners were Dee Flint (1940), Dee Rock (1935), Bryn Truthful (1934), Guards' Brigade (1922) and Tide Time (1912).

The deciding course was disappointing. From the slip Stanbridge Selerity became momentarily unsighted, and Swinging Light was able to strike out for a six lengths' lead. He went on for half-a-dozen points, and, although Stanbridge Selerity became placed, he could not hold his position for long. As the hare broke away to the bank Swinging Light gave a brilliant go-by, and in doing so fell into the dyke. Still, there was never any doubt about the result, and when Stanbridge Selerity killed, Swinging Light was an easy winner. Details:—

WATERLOO CUP—Fifth Round—Swinging Light beat Mount Royal; Stanbridge Selerity beat Rock Bottom.

Decider—Mr. R. C. Brownlee ns. Mr. C. M. Cohan's r. f. d. p. Swinging Light (Dee Rock—Beaut) beat Lt.-Col. Fullerton ns. Mrs. F. H. Kent's bd. d. Stanbridge Selerity (Dee Rock—Star Spangle), 5 to 2 on Swinging Light.

WATERLOO PURSE — Decider—Mr. M. F. Horlock's r. f. b. Magic Hand (Rowley Regis—Beautiful) beat Miss Fawcett ns. r. f. d. Boiler (Dee Rock—Bedraggled).

WATERLOO PLATE — Decider—Countess of Sefton ns. r. d. p. String (Dee Rock—Stewardess) beat Mr. J. E. Dennis ns. bd. d. p. Dee Raft (Rotten Row—Famous Flight).

HUNTING APPOINTMENTS

TO-DAY.

Ward Union Hounds—Ward Cross, 1.30 p.m.; United Hunt Club—Dundillerick, 12 noon; Kilkenny Hounds—Carrigeen Village, 11 a.m.; South County Dublin Harriers—Clondalkin, 2 p.m.; Tipperary Hounds—Fethard, 12 noon; Louth Hounds—Barmeath, 11 a.m.; Bray Harriers—Cabinteely; **Kildare Hounds**—Sherlockstown Cross-roads, 11.30 a.m.; Carlow Hounds—Castleroe Cross-roads, 11.30 a.m.; County Down Staghounds—Black's Lane Ends, 12.30 p.m.; Naas Harriers—Curragh Stand House, 1 p.m.; Wicklow Harriers—Woodenbridge, 12 noon; Duhallow Hounds—Tarrant's Cross, 12 noon; Waterford Hounds—Kildermody, 11.30 a.m.

MONDAY.

Tipperary Hounds—Ballynonty, 12 noon; **Meath Hounds**—Robinstown, 11.30 a.m.; Westmeath Hunt—Drumcree, 12 noon; North Kildare Harriers—Hamwood, 12 noon; Co. Galway Hunt—Moorpark, 12 noon; Boyle Harriers—Clooneybrian, 12.30 p.m.; Coolattin Hounds—Raheengraney, 11.30 a.m.; Tara Harriers—Longwood, 11.30 a.m.; Island Hounds—Ferns Station, 12 noon; Co. Clare Hounds—Clenagh Cross, 12 noon (old time); Mr. O'Hara's Harriers—Collooney, 11.30 a.m.; South Mayo Hounds—Straide, 12 noon; North Mayo Harriers—Enniscrone, 12.30 p.m.; Roscommon Harriers—Fortfield Gate, 12.30 p.m.; Co. Limerick Hounds—Athlacca, 12 noon; Duhallow Hounds—Ballybeg Abbey, 12 noon.

HUNT CARDS

DUHALLOW HOUNDS.—February — Monday, 17th, Ballybeg Abbey; Wednesday, 19th, Bannagh Cross; Saturday, 22nd, Terry's Screens. At 12 noon.

CARLOW HOUNDS.—February — Wednesday, 19th, Milford; Saturday, 22nd, Rathmore; Wednesday, 26th, Hollymount. March—Saturday, 1st, Rathoe. At 12 noon.

SCARTEEN HUNT.—February—Tuesday, 18th, Ballinamona; Friday, 21st, Derk; Tuesday, 25th, Elton, Friday 28th, Ballinacree. At 12 o'clock.

WOMEN'S HOCKEY FIXTURES

Senior Interprovincial—Leinster v. Munster, Cork.
Rest of Leinster v. Rest of Munster, Cork.
Leinster Juniors v. Connaught. Galway.
Junior Badges Semi-final—Pembroke Wanderers' 6th v. Civil Service 3rd, Templeogue, 2.15.
Minor Badges Final—Optimists' 4th v. Ivy 4th, Templeogue, 4.15.

MUNSTER TEAM CHANGES

Miss M. O'Leary (Ashton) has declared off the Munster team to meet Leinster at Cork to-day. Miss R. Healy (Old Ursulines) will come on as left-half, and Miss D. Lyons (Cork) gets Miss Healy's place on the Rest team.

DUBLIN

STOCK MARKETS CLOSE DULL

SMYTH DIVIDEND SURPRISE

GUINNESS FAIL TO HOLD EARLY GAIN

MARKETS closed the week on the Dublin Stock Exchange yesterday on a quiet note and there was some nervous liquidation in progress, which produced a dull tone. This was particularly noticeable among leading Industrials, as few people wished to open commitments over the week-end in view of the situation on the Continent.

Home Government Funds were well maintained, apart from 4 p.c. Exchequer Bonds, which eased to 106½, but 4½ p.c. Land Bonds tended higher and other issues held steady; 3½ p.c. War Loan closed a shade off at 103 1/16. Corporation issues were neglected.

Banks showed little life, but the market was buyers for choice and Nationals moved up to 33s. 6d. Munster and Leinsters were buyers up to 93s. without effect.

There was a large business passing in Guinness units. They finished unchanged at 65s. 9d. after touching 66s. 6d. Rails continued quiet, but inclined to give way. Great Northern Ord. slipped back to 4½ and Great Southern Deb. lost 10s. at 53¾.

Cement Ord. fell several pence to 28s. and Sunbeam Wolsey Ord. were lowered to 34s. 3d. Dublin Granaries Ord. advanced 2s to 75s., but Irish Sugar Pref. shaded off to 24s. 6d.

Towards the close of business Smyth and Co. announced a dividend of 8 per cent., as compared with 5 per cent. a year ago. This came as a pleasant surprise, but no dealings took place in the shares.

Textiles moved downwards. Coats Ord. and Courtaulds lost pence at 31s. and 29s. 9d. respectively. B.A.T. Ord. were sellers at 90s. and Imperial Tobaccos declined to 95s. 3d. Imperial Chemical Ord. eased to 28s. 8½d., Lever Bros. Ord. to 21s. 9d. and Leyland Motors Ord. to 60s. 9d. Shell Transport Ord. drooped to 41s. 7½d., United Steel Ord. to 21s. 7½d. and Woolworth Ord. to 51s. 3d.

OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

* Odd lot. a asked. b bid. c cash.
(Previous prices in parentheses.)

GOVERNMENT FUNDS.

4½% Third National Loan .... (109 7/8) 109 7/8
3½% Fourth Loan .... (103¼) 103¼
4% Conversion Loan .... (105⅜) 105⅜
3¾% Financial Agreement ... (105¼) 105 *105¼
4% Exchequer Bonds .... (106⅝) 106½ 106½
4½% Land Bonds .... (111⅝) 111¾
Do. (under £200) .... (111⅝) 111½
4% Land Bonds (under £200) ... (103⅜) 103⅜
Irish Sugar 4% Deb. .... (103¼) 103¼
3½% War Loan .... (103¼) 103 5/16 103 3/16

CORPORATION STOCKS.

Dublin 5% 1950/70 .... (108) 108

BANKS.

Bank of Ireland .... (290) 289b
Hibernian .... (33/9) 33/9
Munster and Leinster .... (91/-) 93/-b
National .... (33/3) 33/6
Royal .... (9 15/16) 10a

BREWERIES AND DISTILLERIES.

Guinness Ord. ... (65/9) 66/6 66/- 66/1½ *65/6 65/9 65/9
Do. Pref. .... (14 3/16) 14 3/16

RAILS, TRAMS AND GAS.

Great Northern Ord. .... (5) 4½
Do Guar. .... (42¾) 43a
Do. Deb. .... (56) 56a
Great Southern Guar. .... (26) 26
Do. Deb. .... (54¼) 53½ 53¾
Alliance Gas Ord. .... (22/-) 21/7½b 22/-a

BAKERY AND MILLING.

Ranks (Ireland) Pref. .... (25/-) 25/-b

DRAPERIES.

Todd Burns Ord. .... (3/3) 3/3b

IRISH INDUSTRIALS.

Assoc. Chocolate Pref. .... (16/6) 16/6a
Bovril (Eire) Pref. .... (16/8) 17/-b 20/-a
Cement Ord. .... (28/9) *28/-
Do. Pref. .... (26/10½) 26/10½
Do. Deb. .... (108¼) 108b 108½a
Clondalkin Paper Ord. .... (5/-) 5/-
Dublin Granaries Ord. .... (73/-) *75/-
Ever Ready (Ireland) Ord. .... (9/-) 9/6a
Independent "B" Ord. .... (41/-) 40/-b
Do. Pref. .... (28/-) 28/-a
Irish Sugar Pref. .... (24/9) 24/6
Martin (T. and C.) Ord. .... (35/-) 37/-a
Prices Tailors (Ireland) Ord. .... (16/7) 16/9a
Stephen's Green Cinema Pref. .... (7/-) 7/6a
Sunbeam Wolsey Ord. .... (35/-) *34/3
Do. Pref. .... (28/-) 27/6b 28/-a
Williams and Woods Ord. .... (20/-) *20/-

BRITISH INDUSTRIALS.

Ashanti Goldfields 45/9
B.A.T. Ord. .... (88/6) 90/-a
Coats (J. and P.) Ord. .... (31/6) 31/-
Courtaulds Ord. .... (30/1½) 29/9 29/9
Imperial Chemical Ord. .... (28/9) 28/8¼
Imperial Tobacco Ord. .... (95/7½) 95/4½ 95/3
Industrial News 6% Pref. 5/1½
Lever Bros. Ord. .... (22/6) 21/9
Do. 7% Pref. .... (27/-) 27/1½b 27/9a
Leyland Motors Ord. 60/9
Shell Transport Ord. 41/7½
United Steel Ord. .... (22/4½) 21/7½
Western Reefs 20/3
Woolworth Ord. .... (51/6) 51/3

IRISH BANKS' RATES

Irish Banks' rate (changed Oct. 26, 1939) ... 3 %
Loans on Government Stocks transferred ... 3½%
Deposits ... 1 %
The foregoing rates are subject to variation.

DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS

Thomas Dockrell, Sons and Co.—Report for the year 1940 shows that the profit on trading amounted to £5,049, compared with £5,556 in the previous year. The Ordinary dividend is being maintained at 2 per cent. for the year. Provision for extension of premises is halved at £1,000, so that the carry-forward is increased from £2,815 to £3,064. The meeting will be held at Trinity Chambers, Dame street, Dublin, on Tuesday, February 25, 1941, at 11 a.m.

Smyth and Co.—5 per cent. (1/- per share) on Ordinary shares, making 8 per cent. for year (last year 5 per cent.).

Borax Consolidated.—Net profits advanced from £425,644 to £464,148. Dividends are maintained, the Prefd. Ord. receiving a final of 3 per cent., making 6 per cent., and the Defd. a total of 7½ per cent. for the year.

Beans Industries.—Final dividend of 27½ per cent. actual, making 37½ per cent. actual. (Same.)

Coventry Gauge and Tool.—Profit £232,413 (against £185,828). The distribution on the Ord. is repeated at 15 per cent., tax free, half of this amount being paid as a cash bonus.

Cables and Investment Trust.—Interim 2 per cent. (Same.)

Chrysler Corporation has declared a dividend of $1.50 on the Common stock. The Corporation reports 1940 earnings of $37,802,000 (equal to $8.69 per share), compared with $36,880,000 ($8.7) for 1939.

J. and A. Churchill.—Dividend 7½ per cent. (against 10 per cent.).

Petaling Tin.—Final dividend of 25 per cent. and a bonus of 25 per cent., making 125 per cent. for the year (against 45 per cent.). Profit jumped from £144,495 in 1939 to £422,057 last year. Forward £47,629 (against £32,655).

Peter Walker and Robert Cain (Brewers).—Dividend 5½ per cent., making 7½ per cent. (Same.)

Wagon Finance Corporation.—Dividend 1/-, making 2/-, or 10 per cent. (against 17½ per cent.).

LONDON MONEY MARKET

The results of yesterday's weekly Treasury bill tender proved a little more favourable to the market than on the previous Friday, applications submitted at £99 15/- securing 23 per cent. of their requirements, as compared with only 10 per cent. a week earlier. Conditions in the market were not materially changed. A number of clearing banks were good buyers of bills for immediate delivery at the 1 per cent. minimum, and, as market houses were not very willing sellers, there was no surplus of offerings. Other discount rates were maintained at the usual levels.

The silver market was weaker. Spot fell 1/16d. to 23½d., at which point it was at parity with the forward price, which was without change from the previous day.

No material changes were made in the principal Foreign Exchange rates.

Centre	Feb. 14 Closing Rates		Feb. 13 Closing Rates		Parity before 30/9/31
New York*	4.02½	4.03½	4.02½	4.03½	4.86⅔
Montreal*	4.43	4.47	4.43	4.47	4.86⅔
Geneva*	17.30	17.40	17.30	17.40	25.22
Madrid	40.60		40.60		25.22
Stockholm*	16.85	16.95	16.85	16.95	18.16
Alexandria	97⅜	97⅝	97⅜	97⅝	97.5
Athens	515 sellers		515 sellers		375
Helsingfs.	180	210	180	210	193.2
Lisbon*	99.80	100.20	99.80	100.20	110
B. Ayres*	16.90	17.13	16.90	17.13	11.45
Lima	‡		‡		17.38
M'video	‡		‡		51 1/16
Rio de Jan.	‡		‡		5.89d
Valparaiso	‡		‡		40
Calcutta	17 15/16d	18 1/16d	17 15/16d	18 1/16d	18d
Hongkong	14 7/8d	15 1/8d	14 7/8d	15 1/8d	
Kobe (p.y.)	13 7/8d	14 1/8d	13 7/8d	14 1/8d	24.58d
Shanghai	3 1/8d	3 3/4d	3 1/8d	3 3/4d	
Singapore	28 1/16d	28 3/16d	28 1/16d	28 3/16d	28d

*Bank of England official rates ‡Special account.

COMPANY NOTICES.

SUNBEAM WOLSEY LIMITED.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be Closed from 15th to 28th FEBRUARY, 1941, both days inclusive.

D. C. MORROGH, Acting Secretary.

LONDON

OUTSIDE FACTORS AT WORK

SOME PRICES ABOVE THE WORST

UNEXPECTED BLOW FOR INVESTORS

THE London Stock Markets remained under the influence of outside factors yesterday and the uncertainty in the Balkans and the indefinite position in the Far East gave the markets a somewhat clouded aspect. The tone at the opening was dull in most sections, but during the day the cloud lifted in some directions, and at the finish prices, in some cases, were above the lowest of the day. There was no general weakness, and in most cases declines were quite moderate in extent.

DIVIDENDS PASSED

Industrial shares in addition to the general atmosphere of uncertainty, had a rather severe blow by the passing of the Preference dividend of the Gas Light and Coke Company, which came as rather a shock. The stocks affected are Gas Light and Coke Company 3½ per cent. and 4 per cent. Preference Stocks, South Metropolitan Gas Company 6 per cent. and 4 per cent. Preferences and Commercial Gas Company 4 per cent. Redeemable Preference.

Total of these stocks in issue is over £9½ millions, and as £30¼ millions of Ordinary stock also automatically go out of the dividend list, making a total of £39¾ millions, many investors suffer an unexpected blow.

Any benefits from armament work have been swamped by abnormally heavy costs.

Prices of gas have been raised, but costs have also further risen. Values of most Gas issues were adjusted downward.

OLD CONSOLS LOWER

Among Gilt-edged stocks losses did not exceed fractional proportions. Old Consols, Funding Loan and 3 per cent. Conversions all receded to the extent of ⅛, while 3½ per cent. War Loan shed 1/16. Other British Government securities were maintained at their previous prices.

In the Foreign Market, Belgian 4 per cent. Bonds were again supported, and finished a point to the good at 69. Japanese stocks were flat, the 5½ per cent. Conversions being four points down at 23, while the 6 per cent. 1924 stock fell 2½. Chinese stocks were generally maintained except for the 5 per cent. Reorganisation Loan 1913, which shed ½. Brazilian descriptions were on the firm side, and Egyptian Unified also hardened.

British Rails were not without support, and Great Westerns came into demand late in the day, so that they were able to finish a point up at 35¼, while L.M.S. Ord. were ⅛ to the good. Southern Pref.-Ord. and Def.-Ord. also appreciated but L.M.S. 4 per cent. Pref. fell a point. Among Colonial and Foreign Rails, South Americans were a trifle easier in places, and Canadian Pacifics shed ⅛.

LOSSES IN OIL SHARES

Oil shares reflected the general trend, prices being marked down in the absence of support, and losses ranged up to 3s. 1½d. in the case of Burmah, while Shell Transport lost 1s. 10½d., the same loss being shown by Anglo-Iranian Ord. Other losses did not exceed 1s. 3d. Falls to this extent occurred in Anglo-Iranian First and Second Pref. and Lobitos. Mexican Eagles were only the bare turn easier at 7s. 6d. In the Trinidad group, Apex and Leaseholds eased, but Petroleum Developments were maintained at 49s. 6d.

In the Brewery group, Guinness at 66s. 3d. were 9d. easier, while Bass shed a shilling. Watney Defd. failed by sixpence to maintain their price. Stores shares held up quite well, Woolworths being only 4½d. easier at 51s. 9d., while Marks and Spencers at 34s. were 3d. off.

Among Textiles, Coats and Courtaulds fell 3d. and 1½d., respectively.

Electrical shares showed only one or two losses of a few pence, and movements among Iron and Steel shares were confined to a few shares, which were just a trifle easier, Vickers being 1½d. lower at 14s. 9d. Motor and Aircraft issues were little changed, Hawker Siddeley at 12s. being 1½d. easier.

TOBACCO TRUST UP

Among Tobacco shares, "Imps" lost 1/32, with Carreras 1/16 down, but Tobacco Trust Ord. moved up 1s. 3d. to 53s. 9d. Elsewhere, J. Lyons rose 7½d. and Tate and Lyle improved. Imperial Chemicals, Beechams Pills and Lever Bros. Ord. all fell 3d., and Dunlop Rubbers at 33s. were 4½d. down.

In the Mining market, movements were mainly against holders, but, on the other hand, there were signs of support in several directions. Modder East put on ⅛, Nourse added 1/16, and Langlaagte Estate hardened 4½d. Sub-Nigels fell ⅛, as did Crowns, while there were several losses of smaller fractions. Western Reefs shed 1s. 4½d. to 20s. 9d., and West Springs fell 7½d., as did Van Dyk and Venterspost. There was little selling from the Cape, and losses generally arose from a little offering on local account.

West Africans showed only a couple of small losses, Ashantis being 3d. off, while Rhodesian Coppers were little changed, Rhoanglos being 3d. down. Among Diamonds, De Beers Defd. shed 1/16, and in the Tin group there were one or two small losses.

RUBBERS LIVELY

There were more movements among Rubber shares than for some time, and they were all in one direction. Rubber Trusts at 5s. 7½d. were 10½d. down, Anglo-Dutch fell a shilling, and United Sua Betong shed 1s. 3d. Other losses were 1s. 3d. in Pataling and Highlands, several others being 7½d. down, with Florin shares often a copper or two lower.

DUBLIN STOCK EXCHANGE

RISES AND FALLS OF THE WEEK

The following are the rises and falls in stocks and shares dealt in on the Dublin Stock Exchange during the past week, as compared with the prices recorded or dealt in on February 7th:—

RISES.

	Prices. Feb 7.	Prices. Feb. 14.	
2nd National Loan...	111	111¼	+¼
3rd National Loan...	109¼	109½	+¼
Land Bonds	111¼	111½	+¼
War Loan	103¼	103 5/16	+1/16
Funding Loan	113	113¼	+¼
Local Loans.........	89¾	90	+¼
India 3½ p.c. Stock...	95	97½	+2½
Dublin Corp. 4½ p.c. (1955-1977)	103½	105	+1½
Dublin Port 5 p.c. (1962-1985)	103 5/16	104	+11/16
Bank of Ireland	285	290	+5
Provincial Bank	32/6	33/0	+0/6
G.N.R. Pref.	8¾	11	+2¼
G.N.R. Guar.	40	42½	+2½
G.N.R. Deb.	55	56	+1
Dublin Granaries......	73/0	75/0	+2/0
Goodbody Pref.	24/6	25/0	+0/6
Goulding Deb..........	96/6	97/0	+0/6
Independent Pref. ...	27/6	28/0	+0/6
Solus Teo "A"	36/8¼	37/0	+0/3¾
Imp. Tobacco (Great Brit. & Ireland Ord).	95/0	95/3	+0/3

FALLS.

	Prices. Feb. 7.	Prices. Feb. 14.	
4th National Loan ...	103½	103¼	-¼
Conversion Loan	105½	105¼	-¼
Exchequer Bonds......	106¾	106½	-¼
4 p.c. Land Bonds...	103½	103¼	-¼
Hibernian Bank......	34/0	33/9	-0/3
National Bank.........	33/9	33/6	-0/3
Royal Bank	10	9 15/16	-1/16
G.N.R. Ord.	5	4½	-½
G.S.R. Pref..........	9	8	-1
G.S.R. Guar.	26½	26	-½
G.S.R. Deb..........	54½	53¾	-¾
Guinness Ord.	68/9	65/9	-3/0
Dublin Tram Ord......	13/9	13/6	-0/3
Alliance Gas Ord....	22/6	22/0	-0/6
Shell Transport Ord.	45/9	41/7½	-4/1½
Browne & Nolan Pref.	19/0	18/0	-1/0
Burke Deb.	86/0	82/6	-3/6
Denny and Sons Pref.	10¾	10½	-¼
Irish Sugar Pref......	24/9	24/6	-0/3
Smyth Ord.	21/6	21/0	-0/6
Imp. Chemical Ord.	29/0	28/8¼	-0/3¾
Lever Bros. & Unilever Ord.	22/6	21/9	-0/9
Vickers Ord.	14/10½	14/7½	-0/3
Coats Ord.	31/6	31/0	-0/6
Courtaulds Ord.	31/0	29/9	-1/3

LONDON CLOSING PRICES

* Ex-div. † Ex rights. ‡ Dealings prohibited. § Ex bonus.

BRITISH FUNDS, ETC.

—	Closing.		Rise or Fall
Consols 2½%	77¼	77½	-⅛
Do. 4%	110¼	110½	
3½% War Loan	103⅜	103½	-1/16
War Loan 3% fully paid	101 3/16	101 5/16	-⅛
Funding Loan	113⅝	113⅞	
Victory Bonds	110⅝	110⅞	-⅛
3% Conversion Loan.....	101½	101¾	-⅛
3½% do.	104 5/16	104 9/16	
5% do.	108 1/16	108 5/16	
2¾% Land (1903)	83½	85½	
I.F.S. 4½% Land Bonds	111	113	
India 3%	84½	86½	
Do. 3½%	97½	99½	
Local Loans.........	89⅝	89⅞	
National Def. 2½%	100¼	100⅜*	

DOMINION AND COLONIAL STOCKS.

Aust.		**Qld**	
5% '45-75...	105	5% '40-60...	102
4% '55-70...	108	**S. A.**	
3½% '48-53...	102	3% '54-64...	97
Can		3½% '55-65..	102
4% '40-60	100½	**S. Aust.**	
N.S.W		5% '45-75...	104
5% '45-65.	105	4% '40-60	101
4% '42-62..	101	**Vic**	
N.Z		4% '40-60...	101
3% '52-55..	93	5% '45-75	104
3½% 55-60	99	**W Aust.**	
Nigr. 6% ...	116	5% '45-75...	102
		4% '42-62...	101

BONDS, RAILS, BANKING.

Brazil 6½% '27	16		B.A Gt Sth.	4½	-¼
Do. 5% Fd '98	45		Do. 4% Db.	43¾	
Do. 20-Yr.A	44	+1	B.A. & Pac. 4% Deb..	54½	
Do. 40-Yr.B	32		Do. Con. 4½% Deb......	25	
Chi. 4½% '98	42		B.A. & West.	3¾	
Do. 5% '12	24½		Do. 4% Db.	35½	
Czecho-Slov.	52½		Can Pacific	7⅝	-⅛
Egypt Uni.	79	+½	Do. 4% Deb	96½	-½
French Loan	61		C.Arg.4%Db.	25	-½
German Pot.	12		Do. 5% Db. 79-81		
Jpn. 6% '24	24	-2½	Cord. 1st Db	25	-½
Do. 5½%Cv.	23	-4	Gd Tk.4%Gr	69	
Gt Western.	35¼	+1	San Paulo...	102½	
Do. 5% Pref.	87		Bk of Eng	27	
L.M.S. Ord.	14⅜	+⅛	Bk.of Mont'l	341½	
Do. 4% Pref	53½	-1	Barclay A...	48	
Do. 5% Rd. Pref.	81¾		Lloyds	9¾	
Do.4%Pf.'23	38	-½	Martins	48/0	-0/6
L.N.E.Pf.Od	2¾		Midland	7 5/16	
Do. Def ...	1⅝		Nat Prov...	7⅞	
Do 1st Pref.	36	-½	Stand. S.A..	29/6	
Do. 2nd Pref.	11		Westminster	13⅝	
L.P.T.B 5%A	120		Do.£4.£1p.	63/6	
Do. 4½% "A"	111½		Alliance New	72/0	
Do "B" ...	106		Ldn. & Lan	19	
Do. "C" ...	34		Pearl	23	
Sth. Pf. Ord.	49	+½	Phœnix £10	13½	
Do. Def. Ord.	11	+⅜	Prudential..	10½	
Do. 5% Pref.	85		Do "B"...	18⅛	
Arg. Gt W. 5% Deb...	26		R. Exchange	65/0	
B.A Mid.4% Deb......	41		Royal	7¼	
			Sun Life ...	7½	
			Yorkshire ...	5⅛	
				6¼	

OILS.

A.-Ecuad......	18/3	-0/3	Lobitos	28/9	-1/3
A.-Iranian.....	36/3	-1/10½	London and Thames H	1/6	
Do 8% 1st Pref.	25/0	-1/3	Mex. Eagle.	7/6	-0/1½
Do. 9% 2nd Pref	25/0	-1/3	Phœnix......	1/0	
Apex (Trin.)	26/0	-0/3	Royal Dutch	18	
Attock	36/10½	-0/1½	Shell	41/10½	-1/10½
Burmah	51/3	-3/1½	Trinidad L..	60/0	-0/7½
Can Eagle..	9/3	-0/3	Do.Pet.Dv..	49/1½	
Kern Oil....	3/9		V.O.C. Hlds	1 11/32	

RUBBERS.

Anagar......	0/7½	-0/1½	Lon Asiatic	3/1½	-0/1½
All. Sum......	9/3		Malacca......	12/6	
Anglo Dutch	15/3	-1/0	Malayalam.	28/1½	-0/7½
A. Java 1/	0/6		Merlimau P..	2/7½	
Anglo-Malay	8/1½		Orient Trust	11/3	
Bau Tiga.	28/6	-0/3	Pataling......	27/6	-1/3
Bukit Mert	2/4		Rambutan...	1/4½*	
Cent. Perak	1/6		Rubber Trust	25/7½	-0/10½
Chersonese.	1/4½		Sedenak......	21/10½	-0/7½
Cheviot......	3/0		S Siput......	2/6	
Cicely	2/3		Taiping	1/1½	
Djasinga ..	8/9*		Tandjong......	12/6	
Gld. Hope...	16/3		Do. Malim.	8/9	-0/7½
Grand Cent.	10/0	-0/7½	Telogoredjo.	9/4½	-0/7½
Highlands.	23/9	-1/3	U.SuaBet'ng	45/0	-1/3
Java Amal.	8/9		Um. Sum. 1/	0/6	-0/1½
Jugra Lands	8/9		Vallambrosa	6/6	
Kuala Lump.	15/0	-0/7½	Yam Seng....	2/1½	
Broome ...	2/3	-0/1½	Rim Malac.	1/4½	-0/1½
Bukit Mert.	2/3	-0/1½	S. Choh. ..	7/6	-0/7½
F.M.S Plt.	14/4½	-0/7½	Utd. Serdang	2/0	-0/1½
Linggi ...	1/6	-0/1½			

INDUSTRIALS, ETC.

Allied Iron.	14/9		Fine Spin...	3/0	
Austin (5/-)	14/0	-0/3	Gallaher......	95/7½	
Allied News.	12/6		Gamage......	6/7½	
Assoc Def..	6/3	-0/3	Godfrey P..	26/3	
Aerated B...	5/0		Guest Keen	21/6	
Assd.Cement	3 3/32		Guinness...	66/3	-0/9
Assd.Br.Pict.	5/3		Gen. Elec.	78/9	
Assoc Elec.	39/6		Home & Col	2/10½	
Babcock&W	41/3		Harrods ..	26/6	
Baldwins ...	5/0		Hadfields...	21/9	
Bolsover Col	44/6		Hudson's B.	23/3	
Brown (J.)..	27/6		Hawker Sld	12/0	-0/1½
B.S.A.	16/10½	-0/3	Harland&W	12/3	-0/4½
Boulton& Pl.	3/3		Henley's Tel	20/0	
Bristol Aero	10/4½	-0/1½	Internat.Tea	11/6	
Bovril Def	22/9	-0/3	Imp. Tobac.	4 25/32	-1/32
Bleachers ...	2/6		Do Canada	3	
Brad Dyers	3/6		Imp. Chem..	28/10½	-0/3
Br. Celanese	3/3		Imp. Smeltg	9/6	
Do. 2nd Pf.	10/9		Int. Combus	4⅝	
Br Am. Tob	98/9		Int. Nickel..	36	-⅛
Beechams .	32/6	-0/3	Ind Coope..	72/6	
Do Defd...	8/0	-0/3	J'nson & Ph.	45/0	-0/6
Boots Drug	36/6		Leyland......	62/6	
Borax Def...	28/9		Lyons (J.)..	75/0	+0/7½
Braz. Tract	7		Lister	4/6	
Brit. Alum...	41/6	-0/3	Lever & Un.	22/3	-0/3
Brit Match	30/0		Do. 8% Pf..	1 9/32	
Brit.Oil Cake	36/3		Do. 7% Pf..	1⅜	
Brit. Oxygen	65/0	+0/3	Lever N.V..	15/0	
Br. Plstr. Bd	13/3		London Brk.	47/0	
Br. P. Cem	3 13/16		Lancashire..	1 7/32	
Br. P. & L.	26/6		Metro. Elec.	33/6	
Bass Ratcliff	113/0	-1/0	Mitchell & B	62/9	
Brew. of Van	19/6		Morris	25/7½	
Burton	9/4½		Maypole Def	1/10½	
Br. Insuld...	82/6		Marconi ..	22/9	+0/6
Courage Bw.	47/0		Murex	76/3	-0/7½
Cammell Lrd	6/9		Marks & S.	34/0	-0/3
Colvilles......	21/3		Oriental Tel	2⅜	
Consett Iron	6/4½		O.K. Bzrs. A	26/9	-0/6
Cory (Wm.)	73/9		Pease & P..	9/9	
Clan Line..	4½		P well Duff	11/10½	
Coast Lines.	6/10½	+0/1½	Pressed St el	16/6	
Cab.&W.Ord	58½	-½	P. & O. Def.	20/7½	
Do.5½% Pf.	95½		Patons & B..	51/3	
Do. 4% Fd	99½		Pye Def.....	½	
Calico Print.	3/9		Ruston & H	25/6	
Can. Celan..	5½		Rolls Royce	75/0	
Coats	31/6	-0/3	Reckitt	4 7/16	
Courtaulds..	30/0	-0/1½	S.A. Brews..	109/0	-0/6
Carreras A.	3 15/16	-1/16	Sth. Durham	21/0	
Do B......	9/6		Staveley	46/1½	
Cerebos	8 3/16		Stew.&Ll.Df	42/3	-0/3
Crittal Mfg.	9/9	-0/3	Sudan Plts.	27/3	
City of Lond	5/0		Standard .	11/7½	
Co. of Lond...	32/6		Sun.Pictorial	13/6	
Callenders...	65/0		Scribbans .	6/1½	
Crom.Park'n	18/3	-0/3	Schweppes..	28/0	
DormanLong	17/9	-0/3	Spillers	55/0	
De Havilland	27/6		Siemens......	20/0	
Dunlop Rub..	33/0	-0/4½	Thomas (R.)	2/3	-0/1½
Distillers.....	64/6		Tilling (T.)	41/3	-0/3
Dly.Mail Tst	14/6	-0/6	Tob.Secs.Tst	53/9	+1/3
Eastwoods...	27/6	+0/9	Tate & Lyle	47/10½	+0/4½
E.& Mus.Ind	7/6	-0/1½	TriplexGlass	19/0	-0/4½
English Elec.	30/3		Tube Invest.	4 15/32	-1/32
Eng. Cotton	27/6		Turner & N..	65/7½	-0/4½
Edmundsons	24/6		Utd. Steel...	21/10½	-0/1½
E. Rdy G.B	26/3	-0/6	Utd. South..	95/0	
Firth Brown	3½		U. Molasses.	24/4½	-0/1½
Forestal Ld.	24/0		Vickers......	14/9	-0/1½
Fairey Avn..	11/10½		Wall Ppr.Df.	21/10½	
Ford	17/7½		Wht To'king	33/9	
Finlay (J.)..	49/6		Watney Def.	44/9	-0/6
Furness W.	18/4½		Woolworth..	51/9	-0/4½

MINING SHARES.

Ang.-Amer...	31/3	-0/7½	Marlu	5/4½	
Ariston......	6/4½		Marievale...	17/3	-0/3
Ashanti......	46/3	-0/3	Modder......	17/6	
Aml. Bnkt..	4/4½	-0/1½	Do. East..	4⅛	+⅛
Bibiani	16/0*	-0/3	New State A	1 25/32	
Bisichi	6/6		Nigel	2½	
Bkn.H.Prop.	1¾	-1/32	Nourse......	2¼	+1/16
Do. South..	18/9	-0/3	Palmietkuil..	3/3	-0/1½
Blyvoor......	8/0	-0/3	Petaling......	22/3	-0/3
Brakpan....	40/0	-0/7½	Rand Mines	6⅛	
C. Mining...	11½		Rand Selec..	16/3	
Cam. & Mtr..	1		Randftn.Est.	36/10½	
Chartered...	19/0		Rezende......	5/16	
City Deep...	2 17/32	-1/32	Rho. Ang. A.	13/9	-0/3
Cons.Af.Sel..	9/10½	-0/1½	Rhod. Sel..	9/9	
Cons. G.F.	34/4½	-0/7½	Rhokana....	8	
Cons. M.R..	3¼		Rio Tinto....	7¼	
Cons. M. Sel.	15/0*	-1/3	Roan Antel..	13/9	
Crown	12	-⅛	Rob. Deep B	2 17/32	-1/16
Daggaf'tein.	1 13/16	-1/32	Rose Deep.	2⅛	
De Beers ...	5 7/16	-1/16	S. Kalgurli.	21/32	
Do. Pref ..	8 13/16		Selec. Trust	10/0	-0/3
Durban Deep	2 15/16	-1/16	Simmer & J.	18/9	+0/3
East Dagga	1 27/32		S.A. Land...	90/0	
East Geduld	9¾		S.W. Africa.	1⅛	
E.Rand Prp.	42/6		Springs......	20/7½	-0/7½
G.C. Selec...	11/0		Sub Nigel...	7¼	-⅛
G. Bld. Prop.	4/6		Taquah & A.	19/4½	
Geduld	6⅞		Tronoh	21/3	-1/3
Gelden Deep	23/9		Union Corp..	7	-1/16
Gen. Mining	3 13/16		Van D. Con..	21/3	-0/7½
Govt. Areas	30/0	-0/7½	Van Ryn....	11/16	
Grootvlei.....	4½	-1/16	Do. Deep...	20/0	
Ipoh........	1¼		Venterspost.	29/4½	-0/7½
J'burg Cons.	35/0		Vereeniging.	2	
Kamunting..	6/10½	-0/4½	Vic. Falls...	3⅝	
Kleinf'tein...	2¾	-1/32	Vlakfontein.	15/0	-0/7½
Krampat P.	7/6		Vogels'bult..	1 3/32	
Lake V. & S.	18/6	-0/3	West. Hldg..	9/6	-0/6
Langlaagte..	6/6	+0/4½	West Rand...	1 9/16	-1/32
Libanon......	8/3	-0/3	Western Rfs.	20/9	-1/4½
Ldn. & Rhod	2/9		W. Springs...	36/3	-0/7½
London Tin..	3/6		West Wit. A.	60/0	-2/6
Luipaards V	18/3		Wit. Deep...	⅞	
Malayan.....	30/0		Wiluna......	5/0	
Lace Prop.	1/16	-1/16	N. Bkn. Hill	28/9	-1/3
S. A. Towns	4/6	-0/3	Zinc Pref.	5½	+⅛
Spaarwater	1/4½	+0/1½	Burma Corp.	7/3	-0/3
Ph. Prince	3/0	-0/3	Chosen Corp.	4/0	-0/3
Ayer Hitam	20/0	-1/3	Ooregum	6/9	-0/7½
Pahang ...	14/0	-0/9	S. Francisco	4/4½	-0/3

OTHER STOCK EXCHANGES

BELFAST.—War Loan 3½ p.c., 103½, ⅜, 5/16, 7/16; Midland Bank (£1), 82/1½; Northern Bank "A," 60/-; Westminster Bank (Partly Paid), 72/3; do. (Fully Paid), 64/0½; Great Northern Railway Ord., 5; do. Pref., 11; Lever and Unilever 7 p.c., 27/1½; do. 8 p.c., 28/1½; Imperial Chemicals, 29/3; British Ropes, 5/3½; Shell Transports, 41/-.

CORK.—Third National Loan, 109½; Fourth Loan, 103½; Conversion Loan, 105½; Financial Agreement Loan, 105; Exchequer Bonds, 106½; 4½ p.c. Land Bonds, 111½; War Loan, 103 5/16; Bank Stock, 290; Nationals, 33/6; Great Northern Pref., buyers 10, sellers 11; Great Southern Guar., 26; do. Deb., 53½. Beamish and Crawford Deb., sellers 55; Cash and Co. Pref., buyers 18/-, sellers 18/6; Cork Corporation Old and New, sellers 95; Clondalkin Paper Mills Ord., sellers 5/1½; Guinness Ord., 66/- and 66/6; Gresham Hotel, sellers 33/-; T. Lyons and Co. (Fully Paid), 41/-.

BIRMINGHAM.—Morris sagged to 25/9. Leylands firmer at 62/6. Birmids rose to 55/9. Small Arms weak at 17/-. Alvis, 2/9; Austin "A," 14/1½; Ford, 17/6; Guy, 1/6; Humber, 11/3; Lucas, 85/-; Napier, 5/-; Raleigh, 54/9; Rolls, 75/9; Rover, 12/7½; Singer, 1/4½; Standard, 11/9; Triplex, 19/6; Bristol Aeroplane, 10/6; Hawker Siddeley, 12/-.

MANCHESTER.—Textiles more active, but tone still unsettled. Bleachers, 2/3 to 2/9; Dyers, 3/3 to 3/9; "Slubbers," 4/6 to 4/9; Calicos, 3/3 to 3/9; Coats, 31/- to 31/6; Courtaulds, 29/9 to 30/3; Cottons, 27/6 to 28/6; Velvets, 4/- to 4/6; Spinners, 2/9 to 3/-; Henrys 6/9 to 7/3; Turner and Newall, 65/6 to 67/6; Wall Paper Def., 21/6 to 22/6.

FINANCIAL NOTES

AN ENCOURAGING STATEMENT

Mr. John J. O'Leary (chairman) had an encouraging statement to put before shareholders at yesterday's annual meeting of Polikoff (I.F.S.), Ltd.

Notwithstanding the many difficulties of the past year, the trading results of the company had been very satisfactory. From the start of the year costs had to bear an increase of 7½ per cent. in wages to all workers, and, in addition, during the course of the year prices of raw materials were persistently advancing. Turnover was substantially increased, and they were enabled to give employment to seven hundred workers throughout the entire year. The chairman mentioned that 83.4 per cent. of the total capital was held by Irish nationals.

As to the future, he said that they were facing a difficult year, but every effort was being put forth, and would be put forth, to hold their own successfully. The meeting passed the resolutions providing for the payment of the 6 per cent. dividend on the Pref. shares, and for the payment of 5 per cent. on the Ord. capital (against 3 per cent. last year).

[The chairman's speech is fully reported in this issue.]

J. Brockhouse Reduces Debit

As announced in the later editions of yesterday's *Irish Times*, J. Brockhouse and Co. (Ireland), Ltd., earned a profit of £2,566 for the year ended October 31, 1940.

For the previous year there was a profit of £7,250, but after payment of all charges and depreciation a debit of £4,517 was carried forward.

This debit is now reduced to £1,951.

The balance sheet shows that stock-in-trade and work in progress at cost at £17,530, against £11,465. Sundry creditors stand at £3,818, compared with £5,280, and it is again stated that provision has not been made in the balance sheet for legal costs in pending matters. There is a contingent liability of £350 12s. 4d. to Brockhouse Nominees, Ltd., in respect of Preference dividends to 31/3/1936 paid by that company. The Preference dividend for four and a half years to 30/9/1940 has not been paid.

The report states that, in spite of the difficulties experienced by their principal customers, the motor assemblers, during the year, sales of springs have been very satisfactory. Full production of spring tooth harrows only commenced during the summer, but sales to date are most encouraging. Their second new venture, the manufacture of tubular steel trucks, has not met with the success which they anticipated, but it is too early to form a definite opinion about it. A substantial reserve of steel has been built up during the year, and stocks are now sufficient for approximately twelve months of normal trading. The directors feel that the present position of the company is most satisfactory.

Closing of Books

The transfer books of Sunbeam Wolsey, Ltd., will be closed from 15th to 28th February, 1941, both days inclusive.

G.N.R. Shareholders

All shareholders of the Great Northern Railway (Ireland) are invited to attend the annual meeting of the Shareholders' Protection Association which is to be held at the Grand Central Hotel, Belfast, on Wednesday next, February 19, at 2.30 p.m.

Increasing Flax Production

A big increase in flax production in Britain was forecast yesterday by Mr. J. Milne Barbour, M.P., at the annual meeting in Glasgow of the Linen Thread Co., Ltd., of which he is chairman. The need to develop cultivation of flax in the United Kingdom and the Dominions to the greatest possible extent was now more urgent than ever, he said. It was confidently expected that 100,000 acres of flax would be sown this year in Northern Ireland. In addition, the Ministry of Supply had taken steps to encourage the extension of flax production in England and Scotland, and it was expected that the Government would do more still to increase the acreage.

FOOD AND PRODUCE MARKETS

CATTLE.

GRAIN.

DUBLIN GRAIN—Fair number of samples offering, with demand and prices showing little change at—Wheat 35/- ex farm, and oats 24/- to 26/ per barrel delivered.

THE BALTIC.—WHEAT dull and easier tone resulted. The following are f.o.b. quotations:—No. 1 Northern Manitoba, West St. John, second half March 33/3, first half April 33/4½, second half April 33/7½; do. Vancouver shipment, 15 days, 27/3, No. 2 do. 26/4½; No. 1 Canadian Western shipment, 15 days, 24/10½; No. 2 do. 24/6; Australian old crop (bulk) Feb.-Mar. 26/-, bags do. 27/6, new crop (bulk) Feb.-Mar. 27/-, bags do. 28/6; Rosafe 63lb. Feb.-Mar. 20/6; Baril do. 20/9 per 480lb. MAIZE quiet. Plate Feb. 11/-, Mar. 11/1½; No. 2 white flat African (bulk) Feb.-Mar. 17/-; No. 3 also No. 5 do. 16/9; No. 6 yellow round do. 17/3 per 480lb. BARLEY slow. Plate 64-65 kilos Feb.-Mar. 8/10½ per 400lb.

MARK LANE CORN.—Trade ruled generally quiet at recent levels. WHEAT—English 65/3 at farm, seed 70/- to 75/- per 504lb., cut and kibbled £17 2/6 per ton (sacks included); imported feeding £14 10/- per ton ex store. FLOUR—National straight run fixed at 25/6, all English straights 25/6, Canadian 26/-, Australian 25/9 to 26/- (bags included) per 280lb. delivered, less 4/- per sack bonus where bread is sold at 8d. per 4lb. loaf. MAIZE—Imported feeding, whole Cinquantina £11 5/-, other varieties £10 per ton. Maize meal, home-milled feeding £11 7/6, mixed white imported £11 5/-, yellow do. £11 5/-; hominy chop imported £11 5/- per ton ex store. BARLEY—English malting 74/- to 100/-, feed 58/- per 448lb. at farm, seed 90/- to 105/- f.o.r. Imported feed £15 5/- per ton ex store OATS—English 43/6 at farm, seed 50/- to 55/- f.o.r. per 336lb. Imported feed £15 7/6 per ton ex store. WHEATFEED—Fine wheatfeed, home-milled for feeding £8 12/6; bran, straight run from white wheat £9 12/6; imported pollards, bran middlings £8 12/6 ex store; Australian white £9 12/6 ex store per ton.

PROVISIONS.

DUBLIN POTATO—Supplies fair and sales quietly steady at—Kerr's Pink, Champions and Tipperary Dates, 7/6; others 6/6 to 7/- per cwt.

DUBLIN FRUIT AND VEGETABLE.—Homegrown arrivals up to average and fairly well placed inside late rates:—York cabbage large 30/- to 70/-, small 20, to 30/-; Savoy large 30/- to 72/-, small 20 to 44/- load; swedes 2/- to 2/6, mangolds 1/6 to 1/9 per cwt., onions 6/- chip, 40/- to 48/- bag, parsnips 7/- to 10/-, spinach 2/6 to 3/-, parsley 2/- to 3/-, mushrooms 2/6, chicory 1/6, seakale 1/6 to 2/- per lb., cauliflowers 2/- to 4/-, seconds 6d. to 1/3, lettuce indoor 1/6 to 4/- doz., rhubarb 3/- to 5/-, leeks 6/- to 15/-, carrots 1/6 to 2/6, thyme 2/- to 3 dozen bundles, sprouts 1/6 to 3/- chip, celery 1/6 to 6/-, scallions 10d. to 1/-, and turnips 4d. to 10d. bunch. Imported oranges more plentiful and cheaper, other classes scarce and dear. Oranges—Spanish, according to quality, 15/- to 75/-, Navels 30/- to 55/-, bitter 160/-, Californian 55/-; lemons 45/- to 60/-, and grapefruit 50/- to 55/- case.

DUBLIN FISH.—On offer, 15 packages salmon, 4 lots lobsters, 120 boxes herrings, and a fair amount from country and local senders. Demand good at:—Salmon 3/- to 3/7, soles black large, 2/6 to 3/6, slips 1/9 to 2/-, turbot and brill 1/6 to 2/2, halibut 2/4 to 2/5 per lb., herrings 45/-, plaice 90/- to 140/-, cod 70/- to 80/-, codling 60/- to 70/-, whiting 30/- to 61/-, ray 50/- to 65/-, flounders 50/- to 65/- per box, and lobsters 15/- to 37/- per 13.

DUBLIN BUTTER AND EGG—Creamery stocks continue short and easily cleared at 163/- per cwt. cash, less allowance for empty boxes returned in clean condition. Egg supplies improved, and, with present prices more reasonable, local sales have improved at—Special 22/- to 23/6, standards 20/6 to 22/-, selected 19/6 to 20/6; pullets 19/- to 19/6, seconds 18/- to 18/6, and ducks 22/- to 22/6 per 120.

DUBLIN POULTRY—General supplies fair and readily cleared at firm rates. Chickens 1/6 to 1/8, hens 1/- to 1/1, ducks, fat 1/- to 1/2 per lb., old 2/- to 3/-; guinea fowl in feathers 2/6; rabbits 1/8 to 1/9, hares 1/6 to 1/9, golden plover 9d. to 10d., green 6d.; snipe 6d., woodcock 1/3 to 1/6, and widgeon 10d. each.

LONDON.—BUTTER—Importer to wholesaler 143/-, wholesaler to retailer 150/- per cwt., and retail price 1/7 per lb. BACON AND HAMS—Wiltshire cut sides 113/6, three-quarter sides 121/6; spencers 111/6, middles 122/6, streaks 84/6, clear bellies 89/6; gammons or hams, green 118/6, smoked 128/6; Ulster rolls, boneless, green 123/6, smoked 133/6; Ayrshire rolls, boneless and skinless 126/6 to 157/6 per cwt. LARD—Importer to wholesaler 64/-, wholesaler to retailer 69/- per cwt., and retail price 9d. per lb.

MANCHESTER.—BUTTER—Demand steady, and usual allocation has been made this week. First-hand price 143/-, wholesalers 150/-. BACON—No change in the position, consumption and distribution remaining at recent levels. Bindal prices:—Wiltshire cut sides 113/6, three-quarters 121/6, Spencers and Cumberlands 111/6, middles 122/6, backs cut in U.K. 141/6, cut outside U.K. 131/6, streaks 84/6 clear bellies 89/6, fores and squares 92/6, Northern Ireland rolls 123/6. Wholesaler to retailer — Wiltshire 125/-, three-quarters 133/-, Spencers and Cumberlands 123/-, middles 134/-, backs cut in U.K. 153/-, cut outside U.K. 143/-, streaks 96/-, clear bellies 101/-, fores and squares 104/-, Northern Ireland rolls 135/-. HAMS—Issue still limited, but only a quiet take-off. Unsmoked to wholesalers 118/6, to retailers 130/-; smoked 10/- extra. LARD—English refined in short supply and no further releases of imported present. CHEESE—Ministry of Food prices unchanged and supply position still difficult. EGGS—Imported and and over 25/-, 15lb. to 17lb. 22/6, 12lb. to 15lb. 20/-, duck 20/-; English and Northern Ireland 30/-, standards 27/6, selected specials 26/3, duck 25/9.

GRIMSBY FISH.—Jumbo haddocks 16/- to 18/-, medium 16/- to 20/-, small 18/- to 20/-, large sprags 12/- to 13/-, haddocks, sprags (heads on), cod 14/6, dogfish 18/- to 19/-, large roker 18/- to 19/-, coalfish 11/6, ling 11/6, whiting 21/-, smoked haddocks 29/-, smoked fillets 23/- to 29/-, smoked codlings 21/- to 25/-, kippers 9/- per stone.

MANCHESTER MEAT.—Good average supplies. Home-killed beef a heavier pitching, but lamb in short supply. Home-killed beef sides 7d. to 9d., hindquarters 8d. to 10d., forequarters 6d. to 8d., first quality lambs 1/-; pigs, carcases 1/-, less heads 1/0½; imported beef hindquarters 8d., forequarters 6d., crops and ribs and ponies 6½d., mutton 6½d., lamb 9d. per lb.

MANCHESTER SALMON, GAME, AND POULTRY.—Demand for salmon quieter and prices easier; Killarney k.r.d. 3/8 to 3/9 per lb. Dead poultry held for full rates. Eireann chickens 1/10, English 2/-, Eireann fowls 1/3, English 1/5, ducks 1/10, geese 1/8 per lb. Pheasants offered at 15/6 per brace; rabbits, unskinned 7½d. per lb.; brown hares 7/-, blue 4/- each.

PRODUCE.

LONDON.—RICE dull. Siam one-star, February-March, quoted 12/3, super 11/9 per cwt., f.o.b. SPICE—Pepper steady; black Lampong, spot, in bond, sellers 5½d.; Muntok, ditto, sold at 8d.; white Java, sellers 8½d. Cloves—Zanzibar, spot, sellers 11½d. per lb. Ginger—African, spot, 82/6. Sago—Sarawak, February-March, quoted 29/- per cwt., c.i.f. RUBBER strong; sheet, spot, sold at 1/0½; February, buyers 1/0½; March, also April, 1/0½, April-June sold at 1/0⅝ to 1/0⅜, July-September 1/0⅝ to 1/0¾, October-December 1/0⅝ to 1/0¾.

OILS.—The following are selling prices for material allocated to the primary wholesalers and large trade consumers: — Linseed, raw £41 10/-. Rape, crude £44 5/-. Cottonseed, crude £31 2/6, washed £34 5/-, refined £35 12/6; deodorised £36 10/-. Soya Bean, crude £33, refined £37. Groundnut, crude £35 10/-, refined deodorised £40, hardened £44. Coconut, crude £28 2/6, refined deodorised £31 7/6, refined hardened £35 17/6. Palm Kernel, crude £27 10/-, refined deodorised £30 15/-, hardened £35 5/-. Castor, firsts £57, seconds £55. Whale, crude £30 10/- to £31 10/-, refined hardened £33 to £33 10/-, No. 3 £26 10/- per ton net, naked, ex-mill or works. Palm Oil, c.i.f., in bulk £17 5/-, loan drums £19 5/-, returnable casks £18 15/-. Rosin ranged from 25/- to 30/-. Turpentine, American, spot, London and Liverpool, 68/6 per cwt.

OILSEEDS.—The following are approximate shippers' indications on the basis of the Government freight and insurance: — Linseed—Calcutta, February, £18 11/3; Bombay, ditto, £19 1/3; Plate, new crop, February-March, £11 7/6. Rapeseed—Toria, February, £15 10/-. Groundnuts—Coromandel, February, £17 5/-. Cottonseed—Egyptian black, February, £8 2/6 per ton.

MISCELLANEOUS.

DUBLIN HAY AND STRAW.—Hay supplies fairly large, but with most arrivals in damp condition, sales and prices proved weaker at:—Best quality 4/9 to 5/3, secondary 4/6 to 5/-, strong old meadow 4/- to 4/3, softer to best advantage. Straw in moderate supply, with dry loads a fair sale, otherwise prices sagged to clear at 2/6 to 3/3 per cwt.

J. LIGHTFOOT and SON, M.I.A.A., HAY, STRAW, CORN and POTATO FACTORS, MARY'S LANE and GEORGE'S HILL, DUBLIN. (Established 1813.) —(Advt.)

MANY LOSSES ON WALL STREET

STOCKS CLOSED WEAK

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.
NEW YORK, Friday.

Rallies few and far between lacked vigour, and were quickly erased, with the volume slowing down after the initial liquidation, but quickly reappearing on selling. The Balkan and Far Eastern tension, coupled with tax and labour worries, were the principal discouraging factors.

Of the 889 stocks traded in the turnover of 930,000 shares, 44 were higher, 732 were lower, and 113 remained unchanged.

Unabated liquidation resulted in an abundance of losses of 1 point to 2 points, and the market closed on a very weak note.

	Fri.	Thur.
Call Money	1%	1%
London Cables	4.03	4.03¼
Montreal Cables	4.82⅝	4.84⅛

Parity.	Stocks.	Closing Bid. Fri	Thur
4	Baltimore and Ohio	3¼	3½
3 11/16	Canadian Pacific	3	3¼
73⅛	Louisville and Nashville	69	64
14⅞	N.Y. Central	12	12⅝
246¼	Norfolk and W. Common.........	198¾	204
27¼	Pennsylvania	22	23⅛
15	Reading	12⅛	12⅝
10 5/16	Southern Pacific	8¼	8⅝
14 1/16	Southern Railway	11⅞	12¼
94 5/16	Union Pacific	76⅛	77¼
	INDUSTRIALS.		
177⅛	Allied Chemical	143	146½
—	American Locomotive	—	—
—	American Metal	—	—
101⅝	American Can	82	85
46 15/16	American Smelting	37⅞	39¼
198 3/16	American Tel. and Tel.	160	161⅛
27¼	Anaconda Copper	22	23
93 9/16	Bethlehem Steel	75½	78⅝
—	Case (J. L.)	—	—
78½	Chrysler Corp.	63⅜	64½
154 15/16	Eastman Kodak	125½	129¼
37½	General Electric	30¼	32½
51⅛	General Motors	41¼	42⅝
28 15/16	International Nickel	23⅜	24
2½	Do. Tel. and Tel.	2	2
38 7/16	Kennecott Copp.	31	32¼
5 1/16	Radio Corporation	4⅛	4¼
13 5/16	Shell Union	10¾	11
22 3/16	U.S. Rubber	17⅞	18⅞
70 5/16	U.S. Steel Common	50¾	59¾
147 7/16	Do. Preferred	119	122
37 5/16	Woolworth	30½	30½
—	Silver Com. Bars	34¾	34¾
4 7/16	Brazilian Traction	3⅝	3¾
8 11/16	B.A. Tobacco Coupon	7	7
	BONDS.		
—	U.S. Treasury 2¾% '46-56	—	—
14⅞	7% German External Loan.........	12	11

† Ex dividend.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE

Eng. Equiv	—	Closing Bid Fri.	Thur
174½	Bell Tel. (Canada)	156	156
5⅞	Brazilian T.L. and P.	5¼	5¼
25⅜	B.C. Power "A"	23	24
1¼	Do. "B"	1.25	1.25
7	Canadian Car and F.	6¼	7
25 7/16	Do. Preferred	22¾	23½
26	Canadian Celanese Com.	23¼	23½
126 7/16	Do. Pref.	113	117
5 5/16	Canadian Cement	4¾	4½
5 5/16	Canadian Pacific	4¾	4⅞
5 1/16	Cockshutt Plow	4½	4¼
39 5/16	Con. M. and Smelt.	35	35
26⅞	Distillers' Seagrams	24	24½
80 9/16	Dom Textiles	72	75
10 5/16	Imperial Oil	9⅛	9
12⅞	Imperial Tobacco (Canada).........	11½	11½
34 11/16	International Nickel of Canada	31	32
15⅛	International Petroleum	13½	13⅜
2 13/16	Massey Harris	2½	2½
29 1/16	Montreal Light and Heat	26	26
28¼	National Breweries	25¼	25¼
36⅝	National Steel Car	32½	32½
5 1/16	Power Corp. (Canada)	4½	4½
14 9/16	Quebec Power	13	13¼
18	Shawinigan Water	16⅛	16
11 3/16	Southern Canadian Power	10	10¼
69⅞	Steel Co. of Canada	62	64
14	Hollinger Mines	12½	12¾
55 15/16	Noranda Mines	50	51½
204¼	Bank of Montreal	183	180
173⅞	Canadian Bank of Commerce...	155	155
174¾	Royal Bank of Canada	158	150
	CURB PRICES.		
43⅝	Hiram Walker	39	32
20⅞	Lake Shore Mines	18¼	18¼
52	McIntyre Porcupine	46½	46¾

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKETS

Wheat steady, ¼c. to ⅛c. down. No. 1 Northern Manitoba spot c.i.f. New York 89⅛, No. 2 Manitoba spot c.i.f. New York 87⅛, No. 2 hard winter spot c.i.f. New York 101⅝, No. 2 red winter spot 101¼. **Maize** steady, unchanged. **Oats** steady, ⅛c. lower. No. 2 white, per 36lb., c.i.f. New York 50¼. **Rye** steady, ⅛c. up. No. 2 spot f.o.b. New York 61⅞. **Barley** steady, unchanged. **Flour** steady. Spring clears were quoted at 4.45 to 4.55, Kansas straights 4.50, Minneapolis patents 4.70, bakers' clears 4.50, while rye flour closed at 3.75 to 4.00, all per 196lb. **Lard** easy. Prime Western steam loose spot 5.95, Middle West basis new cash contract 6.35 to 6.45. **Petroleum** steady. **Burlaps** firm. Hessian cloth, light-weight 7.00, heavy 9.15. **Tallow** steady, spot extra loose 5, spot special extra 4⅞, spot in tierces 5¼. **Cottonseed Oil** easy. Contract basis bleachable prime summer yellow grade—Spot 6.15. Closing options—March 6.21, May 6.30, July 6.36, Sept. 6.44. **Shellac**—T.N. 16. **Turpentine** (bulk basis)—Spot 43 (barrels). **Tin** firm, 40 to 50 points up. Closing options:—Straits—March 50.80 to 50.90, May 50.90. Standard—July and Sept. 50.75. **American Standard Copper** steady, unchanged to 3 points up. **Coffee** on spot closed steady, with both Rio and Santos unchanged. Futures opened steady, with Rio 10 points to 1 point up, and Santos 1 point to 6 points higher. The close was irregular, with Rio 10 points higher to unchanged, and Santos 4 points to 1 point lower. **Cocoa**—Spot 5⅜. Futures closed easy, 10 to 11 points down. **Sugar** on spot closed steady and 1 point higher at 2.98. There will be 574 "notices" in the No. 4 contract issued on Monday. The old contract closed steady at 1 point higher to unchanged, and the new contract closed barely steady at 1 point down to 1 point up. **Cotton** on spot closed 10 points lower at 10.77 (nominal). Futures opened steady, but at 3 points to 1 point down. The market finally eased under Brazilian hedge selling, closing barely steady at 8 to 11 points lower. At New Orleans spot closed 7 points down at 10.03 (nominal). Futures opened 2 to 3 points lower, and finished 7 to 9 points down. **Rubber Futures** (No. 1 contract), closing options—March 20.50, May 20.40, July 20.00. Outside prices—First latex thin crepe, spot, 20½ buyers; smoked ribbed sheets, spot, 20½ buyers, 21½ sellers. March 20½ buyers, April-June 20½ buyers, 20¾ sellers.

WINNIPEG GRAINS

Wheat opened steady, with values ⅛c. down to unchanged. Hedging outweighted buying by mills, while Foreign developments restricted activity. The closing tone, however, was steady, with quotations ⅛c. lower in all options. Closing options—May 77½, July 78⅛. **Oats** steady, ⅛c. down to unchanged. May 34⅛, July 33⅛, October 31½. **Rye** steady, ⅛c. down to unchanged. May 49⅛, July 49⅛. **Barley** steady, ⅛c. up. May 46⅛, July 43⅛. **Linseed** steady, 1⅛c. up to unchanged. May 152⅛, July 150⅛, October 145⅛.

CHICAGO MARKETS

Wheat steady. No. 2 hard winter spot, 85⅛. Closing options—May 79⅛, July 74⅛, September 74⅛. **Maize** steady. Closing options—May 60⅛, July 60⅛, September 60⅛. **Oats** closed steady at ⅛c. lower to unchanged. May 35⅛, July 31⅛, September 31⅛. **Rye** closed steady at ⅛c. to ⅛c. higher. May 43⅛, July 44⅛, September 45⅛. **Lard** closed easy. Prime Western steam loose spot, 5.35. **Bacon**—Dry salted bellies steady on spot and unchanged at 11.12½. Fat backs easy at 7.75, and 25 points lower. **Hogs** steady. Lightweight, 7.65 to 8.15.

AUCTIONS.

NEWTOWN GREAT, NAAS, CO. KILDARE.

IMPORTANT SALE OF VALUABLE GRAZING AND TILLAGE FARM, MILCH COWS, SPRINGERS, YOUNG STOCK, WORKING AND UNTRAINED HORSES, EWES, HOGGETS AND RAMS; FARM IMPLEMENTS AND RESIDUE OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

SUBSCRIBER has been instructed by the Reps. of Patrick Mullee, deceased, to

SELL BY AUCTION,

ON THE LANDS, AT NEWTOWN GREAT,

On FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 28th, at 12 o'clock,

All That and Those Part of the Lands of NEWTOWN GREAT, NAAS, CO. KILDARE, containing 229 acres 3 roods and 5 perches, or thereabouts, Statute Measure, situate in the Barony of Naas North and County of Kildare, held in fee-simple, subject to the Revised Annuity of £61 13s. 4d. until an advance of £3,447 shall have been repaid. Poor Law Valuation on Land £119 10s. 0d. and on Buildings £4.

The Lands are of prime feeding quality, divided into convenient sized fields, well watered, fenced and sheltered, are suitable for tillage or grazing. There is a good Farm House, with suitable outoffices and enclosed yard, on the holding, in good repair, situate about 2 miles from Blessington, 5 from Naas and 16 from Dublin. It should prove a desirable investment.

IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE SALE OF FARM will be sold the following:—Cow, in full milk; 2 Springers, due to calve in April; 2 Strippers, 72 Cheviot Ewes, running with Shrop Ram; 59 Hoggets, 1 Wether, 7 Dry Ewes, 1 Cheviot Ram, 3 Shrop Rams, 2 1½-year-old Bullocks, 1 1½-year-old Heifer, 4 6 months old Calves, 1 Suck Calf, 2 Working Horses, 1 5 years old Filly, believed in foal to Clydesdale (unbroken), 1 4 years old Colt (unbroken), 2 Farm Carts, 3 Sets Harness, 3 Traps, Trap Harness, 1 Donkey Cart, 1 Donkey, 1 Tumbler Rake, 1 Reaper and Binder, 2 Hay Bogies, 2 Grubbers, 1 Harrow, 1 Swath Turner, Lever Rake, 1 Dray, Hay Kicker, Mowing Machine, Grub Harrow, Turnip Sower, Pulper, Ladder, Boiler, Farm Tools, 2 Wheelbarrows, Churn, 4 Railway Sleepers, Grindstone, Scuffle, Hornsby Seeder, and several other lots.

For further particulars and Conditions of Sale apply to Messrs. O'CONNOR & COONAN, Solicitors, Naas; or to

MICHAEL FITZSIMONS,
Auctioneer, Etc., NAAS.

COMPANY MEETINGS.

POLIKOFF (I.F.S.) LIMITED

POLICY OF MORE EMPLOYMENT

GRATIFYING RESULTS IN DIFFICULT YEAR

SPEAKING at the annual general meeting of Polikoff (I.F.S.) Limited, held in Dublin yesterday, Mr. John J. O'Leary, Chairman, said:—I think you will agree that notwithstanding the many difficulties of the past year, the trading results of the company have been very satisfactory. From the start of the year, costs had to bear an increase of 7½ per cent. in wages to all our workers, and in addition during the course of the year prices of raw materials were persistently advancing.

Both these factors created very serious problems. One way of meeting the situation would have been to concentrate on certain lines of work. That policy would have resulted in decreased production, involving heavy reductions in factory staff with consequent hardship and unemployment. The alternative was to seek intelligently for increased turnover to develop existing products and branching out into new avenues of business. This was the policy adopted. Turnover was, in fact, substantially increased during the year. As a result we were enabled to give employment to 700 workers throughout the entire year. The management were able to achieve a margin, just sufficient to cover the heavy wages increase and the creeping advances in material costs.

DIRECTORS' POLICY

We know our customers appreciate our reluctance to increase our prices to them. We know, too, that the workers appreciate the directors' policy—the policy of more employment instead of less employment—and we feel confident of their continued goodwill in the even more difficult times ahead.

Turning to the balance sheet, few items call for comment. There is an increase in the property and machinery items of over £4,500 due to additions made during the year, which include the provision of substantial air-raid shelters. These shelters are designed in such a way that they can be utilised later as additional stockrooms. Debtors are up by £5,000—a reflection of the increased turnover. Stocks also show an increase. On the other side of the account, the capital figure remains the same—at £100,000—and there is an increase of just over £3,500 in the creditors' item.

The resolutions to come before the meeting to-day provide for the payment of the 6 per cent. dividend on the Preference shares of the company, and for the payment of 5 per cent. on the Ordinary capital, as against 3 per cent. last year, and I may mention that 83.4 per cent. of the total capital is held by Irish nationals.

PROBLEM OF SUPPLIES

As to the future, who can dare be optimistic? I can only say that as far as we are concerned the course of business is being watched by the directors and management from day to day and week to week, and that every effort is being made to meet and anticipate the problems that are inevitable, living as we are in the swirling backwash of a war-stricken world. We are facing a difficult year. The problem of supplies prevails in every Irish business to-day, and our company is not an exception. The staff, however, lack neither resource nor initiative, and every effort is being put forth, and will be put forth, to hold our own successfully. When problems in supplies arise that are outside the scope of the management to deal with, help and guidance are sought from the Ministry of Supplies and the Ministry of Industry and Commerce, and we gladly acknowledge the helpful spirit in which we have been met by these two Departments of the State.

The meeting passed the resolutions authorising the dividends above mentioned, and the retiring directors were re-elected, as were the auditors (Craig, Gardner and Co.).

The other directors present at the meeting were: Mr. John Hanlon (managing director), Mr. P. A. Duggan and Mr. J. P. Mulderry.

LONDON METALS MARKET

TIN strong. On balance official quotations were 85/- to 90/- per ton higher for cash and 70/- to 75/- up forward. Standard cash quoted £263 10/- to £264, three months £262 10/- to £263, settlement £263 15/-. Sales amounted to 250 tons, cash at £263 15/-, three months £260 to £262 10/-. After the close of the market prices again ruled firm, with active dealings. 85 tons sold, cash at £264, three months £263. East nominally £274 to £279 per ton. QUICKSILVER—Spot, £48 per flask. IRON—Cleveland No. 3, 120/6 to 123/- per ton. ALUMINIUM—Home delivery £110 per ton. NICKEL—Home delivery £190 to £195 per ton. PLATINUM—Refined £9 per ounce. SILVER slightly easier; cash, also forward, 23½d. per fine ounce.

Gaelic Games

Galway Hurlers Face Heavy Task

By PAT'O.

Galway hurlers have a heavy task at home, where they meet the pick of Munster counties in the Railway Cup semi-final. I learn that P. Scanlan, the well-known Munster goalkeeper, may not turn out and that the gap may be held by J. McCarthy, of U.C.D. The Munster team shows, at least, six changes from last year's side, and Galway also have made many changes. Galway hurlers usually open at a fast pace, but whether they can sustain it to the end is another matter. Munster's usual steadiness and resource should pull them through to the final.

The most attractive item of the Dublin programme is the clash of Sean McDermotts and Geraldines at Crumlin's new park. Both sides include a big range of inter-county players, and it should prove the best game in the current league.

FIXTURES.

Galway—Munster v. Connaught (Hurling), 3.15.
Crumlin—McDermotts v. Geraldines (F.), 11.45.
Civil Service v. E. Rhua (H.), 1.0.
Belfield—U.C.D. v. O'Tooles (F.), 12.0.
Coolock—Kickhams v. Ard Craobh (F.), 3.0.
Army Ground—Army v. Young Ireland (H.), 12.0.
Hurling Grounds—New Ireland Assurance v. Kevins (H.), 3.30.

LEINSTER SCHOOLS' ATHLETICS

At the annual meeting of the Leinster Secondary Schools' Union it was decided to hold this year's championships in May, the preliminary rounds on Tuesday, 13th, and the finals on Saturday, 17th.

The election of officers resulted:—President—Mr. Patrick Lynch, S.C. Vice-presidents—Rev. Fr. Finucane, Blackrock College; Rev. Fr. Lonergan, Catholic University School; Mr. T. A. McDowell, Wesley College; Mr. S. S. Evans, The High School. Hon. Secretary—Mr. L. N. Horan, Sandford Park School. Hon. Treasurer—Mr. S. S. Evans, The High School.

F. W. WOOLWORTH AND CO., LTD.

NET PROFIT NEARLY EIGHT MILLIONS

A YEAR OF INCREASING DIFFICULTY

THE thirty-second annual ordinary general meeting of F. W. Woolworth and Co., Ltd., was held yesterday at Connaught Rooms, Great Queen street, London, W.C., Mr. W. L. Stephenson (Chairman) presiding. The chairman in the course of his review stated:—

It has been a year of great and increasing difficulty. We have suffered some damage and have also lost the services of the majority of our experienced men. The many orders and regulations sent out from the various Government departments have thrown a great strain upon the organisation in order to comply with them both promptly and correctly, and the fact that we have done so reflects much credit on the whole of our staff.

Fortunately, the structure of this retail selling organisation is very widespread, and the result has been that where our business has suffered sometimes to the extent of the complete destruction of a store and all it contained we have been able to meet the requirements of our customers in the locality in one or more minor stores which fringe the larger cities. During the year there were important movements of the population, but wherever they went to throughout the country we were there with a store to supply their requirements to the extent that our range of goods permitted. The business stabilised considerably as it increasingly comprised the daily necessities which the people need, and your company will endeavour to continue along these lines in so far as the Limitation of Supplies Order will permit.

HUGE NET PROFIT

The net profit for the year is £7,958,159. Of this amount taxation takes £4,310,910, dividend to stockholders, both Preference and Ordinary, will take £2,975,625, building reserve £250,000, benevolent fund £110,000 (a total of £7,646,535), leaving the sum of £311,624 to add to the amount to be carried forward. These represent the facts as at December 31st, 1940.

In the balance sheet it will be noted that the properties and fixtures remain substantially as they were in the last accounts, having suffered the current year's write off for depreciation as indicated in the profit and loss account and subject to the footnote in respect of war damage provided for in the War Damage Bill now under discussion in Parliament. An item in the profit and loss account of £150,000 is set aside to provide for the contribution and premium under the War Damage Bill for the period of sixteen months ending December 31st, 1940. The company's holding in Government securities has increased by £3,182,616, whereas the cash is £725,175 less than the previous year. We have increased the allocation to building reserve by £250,000, which will bring this item to the substantial amount of £850,000.

COMPANY'S TAXATION

As from the 1st April, 1940, profits in excess of the average for years 1936-37 are payable in full to the Government as excess profits tax. For the year 1940 this tax amounts to approximately £1,450,000, which is included in the provision for taxation shown in the accounts. In addition, there is included in sundry creditors a further sum of approximately £700,000 for the company's liability in respect of purchase tax incurred for the period from October 21st to December 31st, 1940, and from this it will be noted that the total taxes, including income tax arising out of the company's operations for the year 1940, amount to over £5,000,000.

The purchase tax operated only for a little over two months in the year in question, and then only partially, as all stocks purchased prior to October 21st, 1940, were sold without the addition of purchase tax. Should the company, therefore, be able to continue its business as successfully in this year as they have in the past year it would seem as though something near £10,000,000 will be payable to the State on the year's operation.

Your board is very happy, and not a little relieved, to be in a position to render to you such an excellent account of their stewardship for the troublous year of 1940, and this could not have been brought about without wholehearted co-operation amongst the employés of the company.

CHAIRMAN'S HOPE

I can say very little about the prospects. I can say, however, as is evidenced by the accounts for 1940, that your company's business is built on wide and well organised foundations, and, despite the interruption of the normal flow of merchandise for retail distribution, your company's stores have managed to maintain the continued support of its customers. It is possible that the increased tempo of the war machine will produce new difficulties and further restrictions of supplies, and I can only express the hope that there will be as little dislocation as possible.

The report and accounts were unanimously adopted.

VALUE OF A FARM

When the Land Commission Appeals Tribunal yesterday heard an appeal against an offer of £1,800 by the Land Commission for a farm of 106 acres 37 perches at Kilconnell, near Cashel, it was stated by a valuer (Captain George C. Bomford, Kells) that the net capital value of the land in 1937 was £1,709, since then it had gone up 10 per cent. in value.

He understood that the owner of the land (the Very Rev. Canon Michael Ryan, of St. Michael's, Manchester) had intended to retire there, as the house on the land was kept in good repair.

Another valuer, Mr. P. J. Maher (Messrs. N. Maher and Sons, Tipperary), said that land for conacre was now being let in the district at £30 an Irish acre. He estimated the saleable value of the land and buildings at £2,000. The house, he understood, was let at £200 per annum, which he regarded as very cheap.

The Tribunal decided to send an assessor to see the farm.

Mr. W. H. Carson, K.C. (instructed by Mr. Henry Shannon) appeared for Canon Ryan; Mr. Tadgh Mac Firbhisigh (instructed by Mr. W. J. O'Reilly) represented the Land Commission.

AUCTIONS.

THOS. DOCKRELL, Sons & Co., Ltd.

AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, M.I.A.A.

AUCTION WEDNESDAY, 26th FEBRUARY,

HOUSE AND FURNITURE, ON THE PREMISES, at 11.30 a.m., at

24 AILESBURY ROAD, BALLSBRIDGE.

The house is very attractive, semi-detached, soundly constructed, modern, non-basement, situate in a charming position, well in off the road, with a frontage of 81 feet to the road.

Accommodation:—Porch entrance, lounge hall with cloakroom off fitted with wash-hand basin and w.c.; drawingroom, diningroom, study, all on hall level; 4 family bedrooms (2 with hot and cold supply), 2 maids' rooms, boxroom, bathroom with tiled walls, expensive bath, wash basin and hot towel rail, separate lavatory, tiled kitchen, scullery, 2 pantries, fitted with cupboards; electric light and power plugs throughout; side entrance; enclosed yard, with coal house and lavatory; large garage, with electric light and water laid on; nice walled-in garden; space for tennis court; vegetable plot.

This house is most expensively equipped, in excellent condition, and is well worth inspection. All the bedrooms are on the one landing, so that the house is very easily run.

Held for 140 years from the 1st June, 1931, subject to £18 per annum. P.L.V. £65.
The House will be sold at 11.30 a.m. and the Furniture immediately afterwards. Seen only by special appointment.

Messrs. A. & L. GOODBODY, Solicitors having Carriage of Sale, 24 Dame Street, Dublin.

ANTIQUE AND HIGH-CLASS FURNITURE, BECHSTEIN PIANO, DONEGAL AND TURKEY CARPETS.

Including:—Upright Bechstein Piano in Ebony Case, Ekco All Electric Wireless Set, Mahogany Break front China Cabinet, 2 Antique Mahog. Half-circular Card Tables, Chesterfield Suite, Antique Slope front Bureau Bookcase, Mahog. Bookcase and Secretaire, Inlaid Mahog. Sutherland Table, Chippendale Writing Table on cabriole legs, Tray-top Chippendale Table with shell centre, 2 Mahog. Half-circular Tables, Mahog. and Oak Occasional Tables; Chippendale, Hepplewhite and Mahog. Occasional Chairs; Easy Chairs covered in leather and tapestry, Enclosed Mahog. Cupboard fitted with drawers, Walnut Writing Desk, 2 Chippendale Tallboys, Mahog. Pedestal Sideboard, do. Dining Table, do. Console Table, Set of 10 Mahog. Dining Chairs upholstered in leather, Inlaid Mahog. Scroll Seat, do. Stool, Mahog. Telescopic 3-tier Waiter, Antique Grandfather Clock with brass dial, Mahogany do., Brass Standard Lamp, Pair of Corinthian Pillar Reading Lamps; Donegal Carpets, 20' x 15' and 13' x 10'; Turkey Carpet, Persian Pattern Stairs and Hall Carpeting, Axminster and Indian Carpets, Heavy and Lace Curtains, Electric Fires, collection of Water-Colours, Pair of Satsuma Vases, Royal Worcester Vases, Tea and Dessert Sets, Minton Dinner Service, Decorative China, Glass and Ornaments, Pair of Brass Single Beds, Oak Single Beds, Mahog. Breakfront Wardrobe, Mahog. Gent's Wardrobes, Mahog. Mirror-door Wardrobe, do. Dwarf Wardrobe, Inlaid Mahog. Dressing Table, Mahog. Chest of Drawers, Mahog. Bedside Tables and Pedestals, Towel Rails, Oak Bedroom Suite, White Enamel Bedroom Suite, Hair Mattresses, Linen, Maid's Room Furniture, Kitchen Furniture and Utensils, Enamel Bungalow Regulo Gas Cooker, Pennsylvania Lawn Mower, Garden Roller, Wheelbarrow, Garden Tools, etc.; about 2½ tons of Coal.

On View Tuesday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Admission to View and Sale by ticket, 1/-.

PROPERTY AUCTION, THURSDAY, 27th FEBRUARY,

At 1.15, at our Property Salerooms, South Great George's Street,

LYNDHURST, TEMPLE GARDENS (OFF PALMERSTON ROAD).

Very substantially brick-built, double-fronted, detached non-basement house, standing on a large plot, with gardens front and rear, and space for full-size tennis court.

The house, which is situate in a healthy, retired position, contains 2 reception rooms, study, tiled kitchen, scullery and cloak room, all on hall level; 4 family bedrooms, dressing room, 2 servants' rooms, bath with h. and c. supply, wash basin, inside and outside lavatory, coal house, tool shed, space for garage.

The house is nicely planned and easy to run, all the bedrooms being on one landing.

Held for 135 years from 1899 subject to £17 7s. 0d. per annum. P.L.V. £57. Seen only by appointment with the Auctioneers.

B. R. W. DORAN, Esq., Solicitor having Carriage of Sale, 5 Saint Andrew Street.

AUCTION FRIDAY, 7th MARCH,

HOUSE AND FURNITURE,

ON THE PREMISES, at 12 o'c., at

199 UPPER RATHMINES.

SUBSTANTIAL brick-built, non-basement House, with bay windows and slated roof. Accommodation:—Diningroom, drawingroom (folding doors), door leading to garden from diningroom; pantry off hall, tiled kitchen scullery, and maid's room off. Upstairs: 5 bedrooms, bath (h. and c.), separate lavatory. Out-offices, tool shed, coal-house, outside lavatory, back entrance, and room for garage. Electric light and power throughout; gas laid on. Back and side walls cemented. The house is conveniently situated on the tram line, and close to all services.

The House will be Sold at 12 o'clock, and the Furniture immediately afterwards. Details later.
Held for 500 years from 29th September, 1904, at £6 10s. 0d. per annum. P.L.V. £29.
Will not be available for inspection until Wednesday next. Seen by appointment with the Auctioneers.

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AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, M.I.A.A.
SOUTH GREAT GEORGE'S STREET, DUBLIN.

TELEPHONE 71351 (10 lines) and Private Exchange.

ALLEN & TOWNSEND

HIGHLY-IMPORTANT EXECUTOR'S SALE OF WELL-SECURED GROUND RENTS IN DUBLIN CITY, TOTALLING £416 1s. 9d.,

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 26th, at 2.30 p.m.,

AT 11 STEPHEN'S GREEN.

LOT 1—PROFIT RENT OF £88 19s. 4d. out of 12 STEPHEN'S GREEN.

Substantial modern premises, in a choice position, occupied by the Provincial Bank. P.L.V. £265. Held under Fee-Farm Grant, subject to £8 0s. 8d., and sub-leased for 99 years from 1854 at a rent of £97 p.a. Hence a VALUABLE REVERSION will arise in 1953.

LOT 2—PROFIT GROUND RENT OF £41 0s. 5d. out of 12-13 WEXFORD STREET.

Very substantial business premises; No. 13 occupied by Williams and Co. Total P.L.V. £141. Held under Fee-Farm Grant, subject to £3 8s. 3d., and sub-leased for ever at rents of £24 0s. 6d. and £20 8s. 2d. respectively.

LOT 3—PROFIT GROUND RENT OF £46 4s. 4d. out of MARROWBONE LANE.

This property comprises 62/71 Marrowbone Lane and adjoining lands—including Messrs. Herd's Factory, portion Guinness's Brewery, etc. Held under Fee-Farm Grant, subject to £57 4s. 4d., and sub-leased at rents totalling £103 8s. 8d., in 5 collections.

LOT 4—PROFIT GROUND RENT OF £217 13s. 0d. out of TERENURE ROAD, NORTH.

This Profit Rent arises out of 18/60 and 88/142 Terenure Road North and 2/5 Terenure Place. P.L.V. £1,544. The premises include Messrs. Floods, National Bank, about 20 Shops, Garages, blocks of Houses, etc. Held under Fee-Farm Grant, subject to £51 11s. 10d. and Tithe Rent Charge of 12/11, and sub-leased at rents totalling £269 17s. 9d., in 11 collections. There are total road frontages of 1,600 feet, and the Auctioneers specially recommend this rent as a first-class security.

LOT 5—GROUND RENT OF £22 4s. 8d. out of 62-84 TERENURE ROAD, NORTH.

This property includes the Glenpool Garage. P.L.V. £24 10s. Held under Fee-Farm Grant, subject to £51 11s. 10d., but sold indemnified against payment of same by lands comprised in Lot 4, and sub-leased under Fee-Farm Grant at a rent of £22 4s. 8d.

LOT 6—96 and 97 CORK STREET. Neat Investment. Portion re-built. Let to weekly tenants to produce £117 p.a. gross. P.L.V. £26. Held under Fee-Farm Grant, subject to £3 15s. 2d.

Detailed particulars of the above Rents may now be obtained from the Auctioneers, at whose Offices Maps of Lots 3, 4 and 5 may be inspected.

Messrs. COLLIS & WARD, 13 Clare Street, Solicitors having Carriage of Sale.

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CHARTERED SURVEYORS, AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS,
11 STEPHEN'S GREEN, DUBLIN. Telephone 43308.

JAMES H. NORTH & CO.'S SALES

AT 110 GRAFTON STREET.

TUESDAY, 25th FEBRUARY,

EXECUTOR'S SALE.

71 WATERLOO ROAD. Held for 150 years from 25th March, 1845, at the adjusted rent of £5 18s. 0d. per annum. Let to yearly tenant at £89 17s. 4d. per annum, landlord paying rates. P.L.V. £29.

20-22-24 MAIN STREET, DONNYBROOK. Held for 99 years from 1st May, 1858, at the yearly rent of £10 10s. 0d.
No. 20 sub-leased for 61 years from 18th May, 1888, at £18 per annum.
Nos. 22 and 24 sub-leased for 81 years from 18th May, 1868 at the yearly rent of £80.

WILLIAM MOONEY & SON, Solicitors, 15 Westmoreland Street, Dublin.

SALE THURSDAY NEXT, 20th FEBRUARY,

"AILESBURY VILLA," AILESBURY ROAD,

FURNITURE, PIANOFORTE, PLATED WARE, ETC.

Enclosed Sideboard with mirror-back, Telescopic Dining Table, Carved Oak Double Cabinet, Dining Chairs, Lounge and Easy Chairs, American Oak Roll-top Desk, Chiming and other Clocks, Barometer Carved Console Tables and Mirrors, Moorish and other Occasional Tables, French and other Plant Stands, Fireside Armchair, Brass and other Fire Sets, Screens, Oval Inlaid Walnut Tables, Gilt and other Overmantels, Marquetry Inlaid Cabinet, Gilt Girandoles, Inlaid Mahogany China Cabinet, Mahogany Bookcase and Cabinet and Books, Pedestal Writing Table, Office Chair, Gong and Bracket Striking Wall Clock, Hall Stand with mirror, Hall Table; Carpeting and Stair Carpeting, Lace and other Curtains, Pictures, Columbia Portable Gramophone and Records; Pianoforte by Collard and Collard; Japanese and other Vases, Figures, Plaques; Plated Ware, Teapots, Carvers, Centrepieces, Tea Urns, Kettle and Stand, Salad Bowl and Servers, Jugs, Toast Racks, Bowls, etc.; Cutlery, and a few pieces of Silver.

Mahogany and other Chests of Drawers, Towel Rails, Washstands, Toilet Tables, Wardrobes, Duchesse Pairs, Bedsteads with Spring and Hair Mattresses and Bedding, and Some Linen; Toilet Mirrors, Trousers Press.

Kitchen Furniture and Utensils, China and Glassware, Old Dinner Set, Carpet Sweeper, etc. Garden Seats, Wheelbarrows, Ladders, Lawn Mower, Quantity of Coal.

On View day preceding from 10 to 5.

SALE WEDNESDAY, 26th FEBRUARY,

ST. WOLSTANS, CELBRIDGE,

SURPLUS POULTRY, HORSES, SCRAP AND EQUIPMENT.

About 500 Pedigree Fowl, Wyandottes and R.I.R., Horses, Fowl Houses, Incubators, Hoovers, Drinkers, Heaters, Hoppers, Breeding Pens, Winnowing Machine, B.M.P. Plough, quantity of Scrap Metal, Manure, Pony Cart and some Harness, Hay Bogie, Boiler in new condition, Mangle, etc.

On View day preceding from 10.30 to 5. N.B.—Attention is drawn to change of date.

JAMES H. NORTH & CO.,

Auctioneers and Valuers, 110 GRAFTON STREET.

KILBYRNE HOUSE, CO. CORK, is the Historic Irish Mansion featured in the "WEEKLY IRISH TIMES" To-day. Price twopence.

A DUBLIN READER—the kind of girl people like and trust—has her character delineated from her handwriting in the "WEEKLY IRISH TIMES" To-day.

The Irish Times.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 1941.

AUCTIONS.

"BATTERSBY'S AUCTIONS"

27th FEBRUARY, 2.30 p.m.

144 CABRA ROAD,

SEMI-DETACHED, 2-STOREY RESIDENCE. POSSESSION.

2 reception, 4 bedrooms, bath (h. and c.), kitchen and kitchenette; electric light and gas; large garden, garage. Long lease, at £10 per annum. P.L.V. £26 10/- (partial remission of rates).

Messrs. HOEY and DENNING, Solicitors, 1 College street.

"LYNDLEY," GARVILLE RD., RATHGAR.

MODERN, SEMI-DETACHED. POSSESSION.

Nice situation; 2 reception and 4 bedrooms, bathroom (h. and c.), kitchen; electric light and gas; nice garden with space for garage.

Lease 400 years from 1932 at £10 per annum. P.L.V. £22. Seen on Order.

Messrs JAMES O'CONNOR and CO., Solicitors, 1 Dame street.

OUR PROPERTY SALE ON 13th MARCH WILL INCLUDE:—

In re PROVINCIAL BANK OF IRELAND, LTD., v. GOULDING.

35/36 ANNAMOE RD., N.C.R.; HARBOUR VIEW, GRAND CANAL PLACE; 125 SUMMERHILL, DUBLIN.

Further details, future advertisements.

J. MALVERN WHITE, Esq., LL.B., Solicitor, 5 College street.

EXECUTOR'S SALE—J. A. Gardner, Deceased.

"DUNLOE," GREYSTONES,

CHARMING DETACHED RESIDENCE, WITH POSSESSION.

And on a later date the ANTIQUE FURNITURE, WATERFORD GLASS, Etc.

Full details, future advertisements.

HASTINGS DARE DRAPER, Solicitor, 5 St. Andrew street.

THURSDAY, 27th FEBRUARY, at 2.30 p.m.,

AT OUR PROPERTY SALEROOMS, 39 WESTMORELAND ST.

(UNLESS PREVIOUSLY DISPOSED OF).

FREEHOLD GROUND RENTS, £346 16s. 8d. PER AN.

Attractive Collection of absolutely well-secured Freehold and Leasehold Ground and Profit Rents in the City and County of Dublin, totalling £346 16s. 8d., in 15 lots. Total Poor Law Valuation, £1,646, and an estimated Saleable Value of £107,000.

EXECUTOR'S SALE—ESTATE OF ROBERT HEALY, DECEASED.

Lot	Rent for Sale	Premises	P.L.V.
1	£9 15 0	45 Raglan road	£55
2	£12 5 0	47 Raglan road	£82
3	£38 4 6	32 Upper Pembroke street	£70
4	£6 6 6	29/30 Leeson Park avenue	£44
5	£5 15 0	31/32 Leeson Park avenue	£47
6	£4 17 6	7 Leslie avenue, Dalkey	£6
7	£7 15 6	36 Upper Gardiner street	£30
	£84 19 0		£334

The Tenure under which the rents are payable are nearly all for ever. N.B.—OFFERS FOR THE PROPERTY AS A WHOLE OR IN LOTS WILL BE CONSIDERED PRIOR TO THE AUCTION.
Further particulars, Auctioneers, or:—JOHN M. CULLEN, Solicitor, 6 Bachelor's Walk.

Lot	Rent for Sale	Premises	P.L.V.
1	£20 6 1	64, 65 and 66 Parnell street	£215
2	£5 16 4	62 Parnell street	£60
3	£11 5 6	67, 67a, 68 and 69 Parnell street	£155
4	£1 7 8	1 and 2 Moore lane	}
5	£15 17 5	70 and 71 Parnell street and premises at the rear }	£169
6	£8 16 6	11 and 12 Sackville lane	£15 10
7	£109 17 10	Lands situate in the South side of the Dublin road from Portmarnock Bridge to the sea, comprising 514 acres, in the occupation of the Portmarnock Golf Club and others	£489 10
	£173 7 4		£1,104

Lot 1 to 6 are held in Fee-Simple. Lot 7 is for 997 years and sub-leased for 900 years from 1826.
N.B.—OFFERS FOR THE PROPERTY AS A WHOLE OR IN LOTS WILL BE CONSIDERED PRIOR TO THE AUCTION.
Further particulars, Auctioneers, or:—
MESSRS. CRAWFORD & LOCKHART, Solicitors, 14 Ely place, Dublin.

£88 10s. 4d. YEARLY OUT OF FIRST-CLASS RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY,

NOS. 19 TO 29 (ODD) MOREHAMPTON ROAD, DONNYBROOK.

Held under Fee-Farm Grant at £60 per annum and sub-leased for long terms under five leases, bringing in a total rent of £148 10s. 4d. per annum.
THE TOTAL POOR LAW VALUATION OF THE PROPERTY IS £208.
Further particulars AUCTIONEERS, or Messrs. SHERIDAN & KENNY, Solicitors, 24 Eustace St.

BATTERSBY & CO.,

AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, M.I.A.A., F.A.I.,

39 WESTMORELAND ST., DUBLIN

ESTABLISHED IN THE YEAR 1815.

CORRIGAN & CO.'S SALES.

AUCTION WEDNESDAY, 5th MARCH, at 2.30 p.m.,

IN PROPERTY SALEROOMS, 4 GRAFTON STREET.

10 TIVOLI TCE., E., DUN LAOGHAIRE. (Part Possession.)

Substantial three-storey Residence for Sale as a residential investment. The garden flat is let at rate of 12/6 weekly, and the drawingroom flat at 15/- weekly. The top flat, comprising 3 rooms, is vacant. There is a bathroom. Good garden. The premises are held under Lease for 50 years from 1st May, 1903, subject to the yearly adjusted rent of £11 14s. 6d. And under Lease of the 9th March, 1932, for further term of 49 years from May, 1953, subject to the yearly rent of £12. P.L.V. £26. The Auctioneers recommend this property to intending purchasers who might require a residence, coupled with the advantages of an investment.

Solicitor: DANIEL C. MAHER, Esq., 20 Westland Row.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

8 RICHMOND COTTAGES, NTH. RICHMOND ST. (POSSESSION.)

A type of small House seldom in the market, with possession. Conveniently situated close by the O'Connell Schools; two-storey. Contains 5 apartments and yard, opening into wide laneway. Electric light. Held under Lease for residue of 600 years from 1833. Subject to only FIFTEEN SHILLINGS (15/-) YEARLY. P.L.V. £9 10/-. The outgoings are, therefore, very small.

Solicitors: Messrs. MICHAEL S. BERGIN & SON, 16 Dawson Street.

SHOP & HOUSE, 7 BERKELEY RD. ("CONFISERIE"). INVESTMENT.

Shop and House, situated in an excellent business thoroughfare. Opposite Berkeley Road Church. The premises comprise shop and parlour with close range. Independent living accommodation of 4 rooms, with separate hall door. Garden. Held on Lease for 380 years from September, 1875, subject to £4 yearly. P.L.V. £25. Sub-let to one tenant at £52 yearly, plus rates.

Solicitors: Messrs. PETER M. SEALES & SON, 11 College Green.

EXECUTOR'S SALE. HOUSE AND FURNITURE, P. McCORMACK, DECD.

"ARDALUINN," 103 CHURCH AVE., DRUMCONDRA.

OVERLOOKING THE GROUNDS OF ALL HALLOWS COLLEGE.

A delightful small House in a secluded, yet most convenient, position. Constructed mainly of red brick, with granite facings. Bay windows. Comprises 2 reception rooms, 4 bedrooms, bathroom, separate w.c., kitchen, etc. Electric light. Nice gardens; 2nd w.c., garage, and back entrance. Held for 373 years, subject to yearly rent of £4 0s. 0d. P.L.V. £19 0s. 0d. POSSESSION.

FURNITURE AUCTION, THURSDAY, 6th MARCH,

ON THE PREMISES, AT 12 O'C. SHARP.

INCLUDING, BRIEFLY:—Sheraton-style China Cabinet, Mahogany Cabinet Gramophone, collection of Records, Settee Suite, 4 Mahogany Upholstered Chairs, Occasional Tables, Axminster Carpet, Overmantels, Mantel Clocks, Mahogany extending Dining Table, Inlaid Slope-front Bureau, Mahogany Enclosed Sideboard with mirror back, Phillips Radio, Easy Chair, 4 Mahogany Dining Chairs, 3-Piece E.P. Tea Service, Table Linen, part Dinner Service, Oak Single Bed, Double ditto, 3-Piece Mahogany Suite, 3-Piece Oak ditto, Mahogany Double Bed, Kitchen Dresser, Deal Cabinet, assortment Kitchen Delph and Culinary Utensils, "New World" Gas Cooker, Axminster Stair Carpet, quantity Coal and Slack. ON VIEW DAY PREVIOUS, 10-5.

Solicitors: Messrs. JOYCE & JOYCE, 128 St. Stephen's Green, W.

AUCTIONEERS:

CORRIGAN & CO., 4 GRAFTON STREET.

THURSDAY NEXT, FEBRUARY 20th, at 12 o'clock,

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MESSRS. HAZLEY & CO. are instructed to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, AT THEIR ESTATE SALEROOMS, MAIN STREET, BLACKROCK, THE FOLLOWING ATTRACTIVE INVESTMENTS:—

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And
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